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### EGGERS FERRY BRIDGE



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The Delta Mariner is idle at Eggners Ferry Bridge with two destroyed spans of the bridge draped over her bow Jan. 27 on Kentucky Lake near Golden Pond.

## Ky. awards contract for repairs

BY BRUCE SCHREINER  
THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Kentucky awarded a \$7 million emergency contract Thursday to repair a damaged bridge spanning a key traffic artery in the state's popular western lakes region and set a timetable to finish work before the summer tourism season.



Beshear

Gov. Steve Beshear said

#### On the Web:

To hear Beshear's announcement, go online to [kentuckynewera.com](http://kentuckynewera.com)

The plan is to reopen the stricken Eggners Ferry Bridge over Kentucky Lake by Memorial Day weekend. The bridge has been closed since a cargo ship tore off a 322-foot section of the 80-year-old bridge on Jan. 26.

The repairs will take less time and cost considerably less than officials had expected, the governor said.

"This will help save the crucial summer tourism

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## Fire guts building in Cadiz



JOHN GODSEY | KENTUCKY NEW ERA

Firefighters watch early Thursday morning as two men stand on a lift and shoot water onto the roof of a Cadiz building.



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### No one injured; cause unknown

FROM NEW ERA STAFF REPORTS

Four fire departments responded to a fire on Main Street in downtown Cadiz early Thursday morning.

The fire burned apartments over the Rabbit Hole, a local restaurant, and Impressions Hair Salon.

All the occupants of the apartments were able to escape the fire uninjured, said Kerry Fowler, Cadiz fire chief.

Smoke covered the road and fire trucks as the chief yelled for them all to get out of the building.

"We thought maybe one of the outside walls had moved just a little bit because the weight of the water on the ... floor," Fowler said.

The cause of the fire is still under investigation, he said.

"I have notified the state fire marshal's office; they will be sending someone soon," Fowler said.

## Poll: Most locals want public transportation

BY NICK TABOR  
NEW ERA STAFF WRITER

In a January survey, about 892 Christian County residents — 53 percent of those who participated — said they would use public transportation if it were widely available.

Another 488, or 29 percent, either said they were unsure or said it depended on some factor.

In response, authorities from the city of Hopkinsville and Pennyriple Allied Community Services are looking for a way to acquire two new buses of 12 to 15 seats. Both would be handicap-accessible.

If PACS receives two grants to buy the buses, which cost \$45,000 each, Mayor Dan Kemp will ask Hopkinsville City Council to pay the operating costs, said City Administrator Glenn Abee. It would amount to \$95,600 a year for insurance, drivers, gas and maintenance, according to an announcement from the Christian County Cares 2015 committee.



Abee

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View the transportation survey at [kentuckynewera.com](http://kentuckynewera.com).

## Report: Kentucky near bottom in jobs created with stimulus

FROM NEW ERA STAFF REPORTS

Smart Growth America, a coalition of advocacy groups, collected congressional data last year on the ways every state spent transportation funds from the 2009 Obama stimulus package. The states that created the most jobs spent their funds on public transportation and projects to maintain existing roads and bridges, the study found. States that cre-

ated the fewest jobs spent money building new roads and bridges.

Kentucky spent most of its funds on new roads and bridges. It ranked among the bottom five in terms of average jobs created per dollar spent, according to the report.

Public transportation tends to reduce gasoline usage, which saves consumers money and

In 2010, Americans took 10.2 billion trips on public transportation.

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## CCPS report shows growth

Some county schools behind state averages

BY BENJAMIN JOUBERT  
NEW ERA STAFF WRITER

District report cards recently posted on the Kentucky Department of Education website show that many of the 15 schools in Christian County are above the state average in No Child Left Behind progress goals.

And while many Christian County schools improved their report cards from the 2009-10 school year, most elementary schools scored well above the state average in all subject areas tested — not just the NCLB required

#### On the Web:

For PDFs of the local district, middle and high school report cards, visit [www.kentuckynewera.com](http://www.kentuckynewera.com).

A web link will also be provided to Kentucky Department of Education's website where the elementary schools' report cards can be found.

topics of reading and math — helping boost the district's overall averages. This same trend can be seen in other counties as well.

The report outlines adequate yearly progress on NCLB

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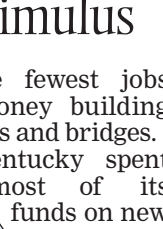
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## Open government forum Tuesday

A community forum titled "Open Government: Accessing Public Records and Meetings" will be at 6 p.m. Tuesday at the Hopkinsville regional campus of Murray State University.

The forum is for anyone who wants to learn more about the Kentucky Open Meetings and Open Records Laws. Al Cross, director of

the Institute for Rural Journalism and Community Issues and a political writer for The Courier-Journal newspaper, will be the keynote speaker.

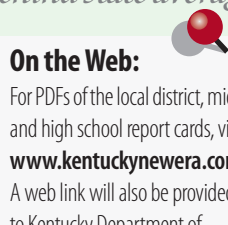


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Other speakers will include New Era's Opinion Editor Jennifer P. Brown and Nick Tabor, a New Era staff writer.

People who attend the forum will learn how to file requests for information from local and state agencies and how to watch for possible violations of open meetings laws.

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**Kentucky Lake and Barkley Lake Elevation**, last updated at 9 p.m. Thursday, **Kentucky Lake, Upper Stage**, 356.1; **Normal Stage**, 354; **Lower Stage**, 317.8.

**Lake Barkley, Upper Stage**, 355.9; **Normal Stage**, 354; **Lower Stage**, 322.6.

**Water Temperatures, Kentucky Lake**, 53 degrees; **Kentucky Dam**, 53 degrees; **Barkley Dam**, 53 degrees; **Normal Temperature**, 54 degrees.  
Source: Explore Kentucky Lake.

PRECIPITATION

**Christian County Daily Precipitation** (inches); **Monday**, 0.01; **Tuesday**, 0.00; **Wednesday**, 0.00. **Month to date**, 0.20; **Year to date**, 6.29.  
Source: Kentucky Mesonet.

# Humana sues ad company, says Limbaugh spot hurts

LOUISVILLE, Ky. (AP) — A Kentucky-based health care company is suing to protect its name after being involuntarily drawn into the backlash over Rush Limbaugh's derisive comments about a Georgetown law student.

Louisville-based Humana, the parent company of Concentra Health Services, filed on Thursday for a preliminary injunction to stop the Preval Group of Portland, Maine from using the name Concentra to market memory aid pills.

Humana said in court filings it received angry phone calls, emails and web postings after an ad for Concentra pills aired on Limbaugh's show Monday. Concentra Health and the Preval Group are not related.

Limbaugh has been criticized for attacking student Sandra Fluke over contraception.

He apologized but has lost some advertisers in the backlash.

A message left for the Preval Group Thursday was not immediately returned.

Concentra Health Services, based in Addison, Texas, runs more than 320 medical centers in 40 states offering occupational med-

icine, urgent care, primary care and physical therapy. The Preval Group is a marketing company that sells the memory pills.

The roots of the dispute are in an October 2011 newspaper ad Preval ran in Texas and on its website. Humana sent Preval a letter calling for an end to the advertising.

Kenneth Viers, an attorney for Humana, said the use of the "Concentra" name to sell a pill infringed on Humana's trademark for its subsidiary.

"Specifically, we are concerned that customers may believe that Humana is the source of products and services being offered by Preval Direct and/or Preval Group or that those goods and services are endorsed by Humana," Viers wrote on Nov. 3.

Preval Group attorney Sean Sweeney wrote to Viers on Nov. 15, saying the memory pill and the Humana subsidiary were so dissimilar that no one would confuse the two based on an advertisement. Sweeney added that Preval has been considering rebranding the memory pill when stock is scheduled to run out after about six months — roughly sometime in April.

"Accordingly, in order to

ensure a prompt and amicable solution to this matter, Preval is willing to cease its use of the Concentra mark once it has depleted its current stock of the Concentra product," Sweeney wrote.

But, Humana said, the Preval Group didn't wind down the use of "Concentra" and instead upped it by broadening its advertising to a national level and purchasing keyword advertising terms, including "concentra healthcare," "concentra com" and "www.concentra.com." Human said Preval didn't purchase keywords for memory or "regain your memory," which would associate searched with the company's website www.regainyourmemory.com

The dispute came to a head on Monday, when the Preval Group aired an ad for the memory pill on Limbaugh's radio show. The ad aired at a time when Limbaugh's rhetoric aimed at Fluke, a Georgetown University law student, who advocated for insurance to cover contraception, came under close scrutiny. Since the three days of shows aired containing the attacks, multiple companies have suspended their advertis-

ing on Limbaugh's show.

Humana doesn't advertise on the radio show, but officials say the Preval Group's ad has resulted in people contacting the health care company and criticizing it for supporting Limbaugh's show.

Concentra Health Services Vice President for Marketing Nancy Buttyan said in an affidavit that the company has been subject to "universally negative" posts and Twitter comments about the ad. Buttyan also said she's responded to 30-40 emails from the public, including a Kentucky customer who said "I will stop using your services."

Concentra has posted a link to a statement on its website labeled "Not On Rush."

In the statement, Concentra says it did not advertise on Limbaugh's show on the March 5 and pointing out that another company is using the "Concentra" name for a memory aid pill.

"We are not affiliated with this company or this product in any way. We apologize for any confusion created by this event, but assure you that this advertising is not from our company," the company said on the website.

## Search for 2 fishermen continues in Tenn. River

GILBERTSVILLE, Ky. (AP) — Searchers have learned more about the capsizing of a pontoon boat that left two fishermen missing below Kentucky Dam.

The only survivor, 70-year-old Roy May, talked with Kentucky Department of Fish and Wildlife Resources agents after his release from a Paducah hospital Tuesday. He said he and his younger brothers had boat engine problems and were pulled too close to the dam by the current. Water coming down the spillway flipped the boat, splintering it and crushing the aluminum pontoons.

Other fishermen rescued Roy May shortly after the accident, according to The Paducah Sun.

Still missing Thursday morning were 65-year-old Al-

bert May and 63-year-old Gene May.

TVA allowed more water over the flood gates Wednesday to churn the Tennessee River. Rescuers hoped it would help them locate the bodies, but it did not.

Deputy Marshall County emergency management director Duane Hawes said that the area below the dam is a popular fishing spot, but it can be very dangerous.

"I think most people think the current is always going to be pushing them away from the gates," he said. "That's not true because of the turbulence."

There are warning signs posted along the shore. "Dangerous waters. Violent surges occur suddenly. Keep out," one reads.

"People ignore them," Clark said.

## POLL: Most locals want public transportation

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If the poll's results represent Hopkinsville's entire population, more than 16,700 people would likely rely on the new buses, and more than 9,000 would consider it.

PACS already has 20 buses, but it mostly uses them for services funded by Medicaid. For instance, the buses take people to adult day care, day treatment programs and dialysis appointments, said Twana Johnson, transportation director at PACS.

Christian County residents can arrange rides to other destinations, such as the grocery store or the mall, by calling in advance. But PACS can only provide limited service to the general public. It has no bus stops.

If PACS gets two new buses, it will likely devote them to the general public's use, Johnson said.

Johnson said it's hard to estimate how many more rides PACS could provide the general public on a daily basis, as the agency would have to devise new routes based on which areas showed the most demand.

"We're going to let people tell us where they want to ride," Johnson said.

The Christian County Cares committee launched the survey in December, according to the announcement. Throughout the month of January, it distributed the survey throughout the county: at the public library, government agencies, churches and other buildings, plus various websites.

Of the 1,683 participants, 81 percent believe the county's lack of pub-

### REPORT: Ky. near bottom in stimulus job creation

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causes less harm to the environment.

The American Public Transportation Association provides the following figures:

- Public transportation saves the U.S. the equivalent of 4.2 billion gallons of gas annually.
- In 2010, Americans took 10.2 billion trips on public transportation.
- People who live within range of public transportation drive an average of 4,400 fewer miles annually than those without access to it.
- The average household in which someone uses public transportation drives 16 fewer miles a day.
- Public transportation saves 37 million metric tons of carbon dioxide annually.
- Despite the economic recession, 77 percent of all transit-related ballot initiatives passed in 2010.

lic transit has hurt their employment opportunities. Eighty-three percent said better public transit would improve their chances at getting jobs.

In the list of places they generally can't get to without public transit, the greatest numbers of participants mentioned medical appointments, grocery shopping and job training.

More than 60 percent said they need public transit between 8 a.m. and noon. More than 50 percent said they need it between noon and 6 p.m. More people said they would use it on weekdays than weekends.

Forty-two percent said they would pay \$1 for a one-way trip. Thirty-nine percent said they would pay \$2.

In response to the survey, the Christian County Cares board advised the city to create a public transportation committee. It also encouraged better marketing of the services

PACS offers.

PACS' funding comes from the state and federal governments, though local governments have helped paid for new buses, Johnson said.

Steve Tribble, Christian County judge-executive, said county government officials haven't discussed the possibility of getting involved.

"I don't know where we'd get the funding for it, unless somebody wants us to raise taxes," Tribble said.


The next fiscal year begins on July 1. Kemp typically drafts a budget proposal and presents it to the city council in May. He won't decide whether to ask for public transportation funds until PACS' grant applications are approved or denied, Abee said.

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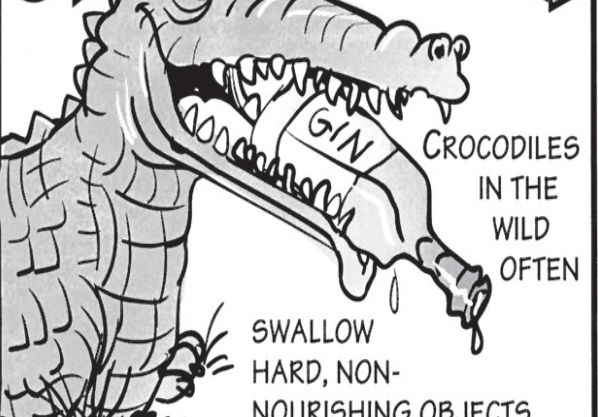
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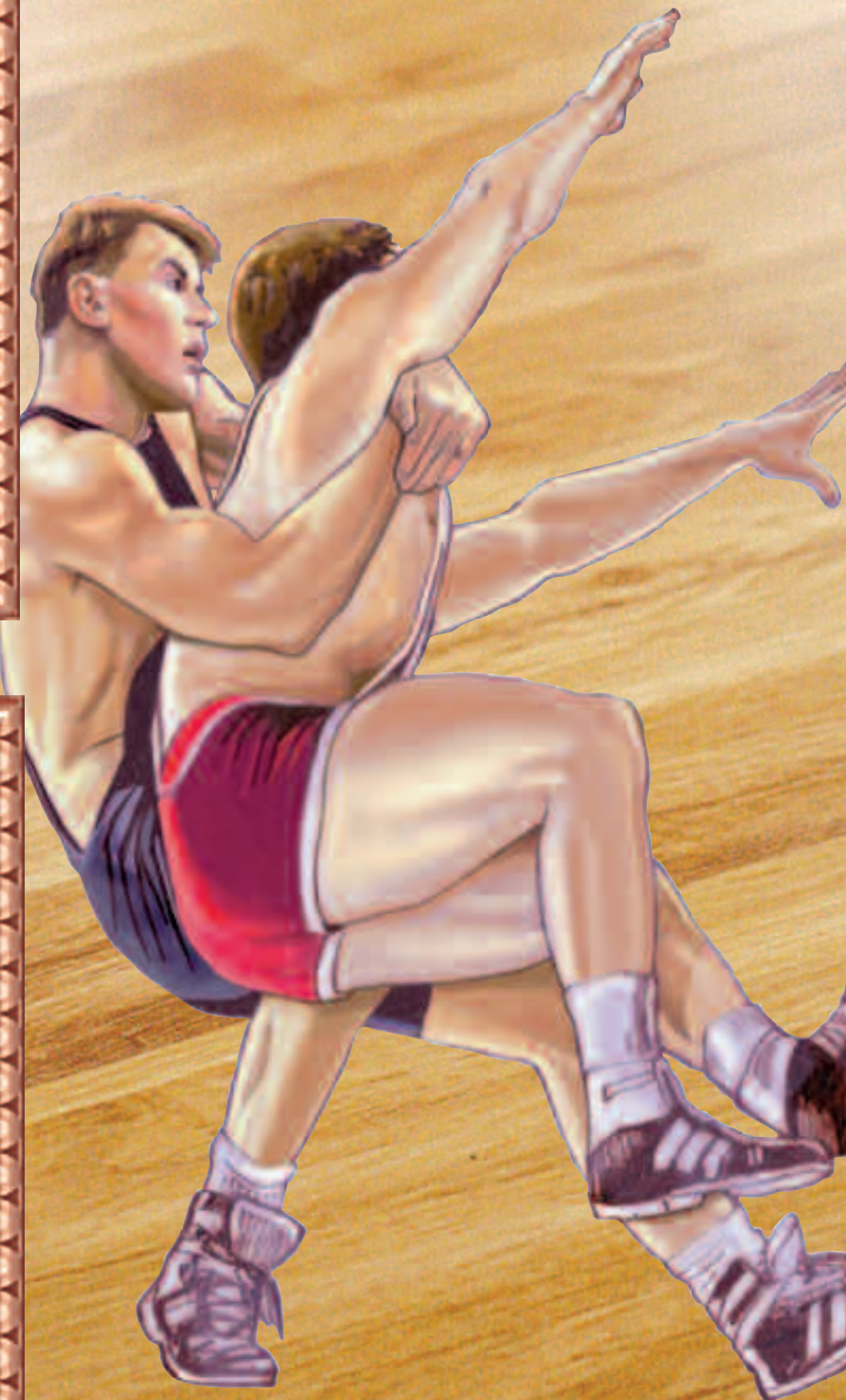
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## Drug testing flap holds up vote on smoking ban

BY ROGER ALFORD  
THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

FRANKFORT, Ky. — A flap over a proposal to conduct random drug testing on welfare recipients delayed a vote Thursday on legislation that would impose a statewide ban on smoking in public places.

Republican lawmakers boycotted a meeting of the House Health and Welfare Committee because Chairman Tom Burch had refused to call the drug testing bill for a vote. That boycott left the committee without a quorum.

The drug testing bill, sponsored by state Rep. Lonnie Napier, R-Lancaster, has proven popular among lawmakers, more than 60 of whom have signed on as co-sponsors.

State Rep. Brent Housman, R-Paducah, said he and other GOP

lawmakers on the committee were angry that Burch had single-handedly stood in the way of a vote on a bill that has overwhelming support in the legislature.

"I question whether this is truly a democratic process when one person, the chairman of the committee, trumps the will of 64 other legislators," Housman said. "I don't think that's right."

Tonya Chang, advocacy director in Kentucky for the American Heart Association, said she was disappointed the vote on the smoking ban, a prickly issue in a major tobacco-producing state like Kentucky, had to be put off.

"The clock is ticking," she said, noting only a month remains in this year's legislative session. "It puts us under more of a time crunch."

Chang said her organization

hasn't taken a position on Napier's bill.

Napier, a relentless cheerleader for the drug testing proposal, said job applicants typically require employees to pass a drug screening. He said he believes welfare recipients should face that same scrutiny.

Similar legislation was filed in 36 states last year, but passed only in Arizona, Florida and Missouri. Florida is under a federal court injunction that's blocking implementation of the drug-testing program there.

So far this year, such measures have been introduced in more than 20 states.

Burch said Napier's bill, while well intended, is unfair to Kentucky's neediest residents, forcing those who have to rely on public assistance to undergo the indignity of drug screenings. He said it



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State Rep. Lonnie Napier, R-Lancaster, testifies before the House Health and Welfare Committee Thursday at the Capitol in Frankfort.

also could make children go hungry because of the misbehavior of their parents.

"I think the poor people are al-

ways an easy group to pick on," said state Rep. Mary Lou Marzian, D-Louisville, an opponent of the drug testing bill. "I think this bill reeks of discrimination against poor people."

Napier said he has softened language in his bill to require screenings only when welfare workers have strong reason to believe a recipient is using drugs. He also included a requirement for welfare recipients to pay for drug testing if the results are positive, an attempt to silence critics who said the proposal would increase the cost of the state's welfare program.

Napier, who has served in the legislature since 1985, has picked up most of the House Republican delegation as co-sponsors and several Democrats, including House Speaker Greg Stumbo and former House Speaker Jody Richards.



Edgar Cayce, a native of Christian County, is buried at Riverwood Cemetery in Hopkinsville.

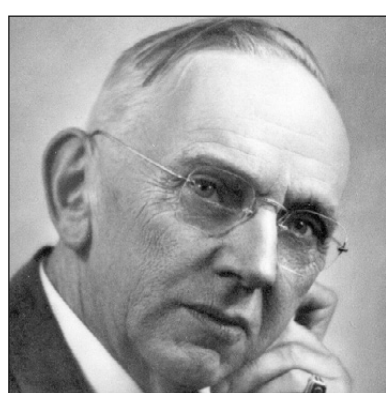
## Schedule set for 20th annual Edgar Cayce hometown seminar

BY DENNIS O'NEIL  
NEW ERA FEATURE WRITER

The 20th annual Edgar Cayce Hometown Seminar will be March 16 and 17 at the Pennyroyal Area Museum. The seminar will include several programs focusing on Cayce's life and work.

Born in southern Christian County in 1877, Cayce became known as the "Sleeping Prophet," offering hundreds of medical readings while in a self-induced trance. His readings suggested treatments for many medical problems.

Today, Cayce's work is archived and researched at the Associa-



tion for Research and Enlightenment in Virginia Beach, Va.

The seminar will start at 7 p.m. March 16 with a presentation by local educator Wayne Goolsby

called "Cayce's Apocalypse."

At 9 a.m. March 17, Christian County Historian William T. Turner will host a program exploring life in Hopkinsville during Cayce's time. There will also be programs offered on photography during Cayce's era and a van tour of historic Cayce sites around Hopkinsville.

Full registration for the seminar is \$110. The van tour costs an additional \$40.

For more information or to register, call the museum at 270-887-4270.

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## Trigg sheriff raises money for drug dog

BY BENJAMIN JOUBERT  
NEW ERA STAFF WRITER

In an effort to reduce drug activity in the area, the Trigg County Sheriff's Department is trying to raise \$10,000 to buy a drug detection dog.

Since January, the department has raised around \$4,500, Sheriff Ray Burnam said. The money will pay for the dog, a deputy's training and basic startup equipment, such as a vehicle with a cage. The starting price for a detection dog is around \$6,500, and the dog would live with the deputy trained to handle it.

Burnam said that, even though the department has been doing well investigating drug crimes in the area, a dog would "take it to the next level."

"If you are going to do drug interdiction you are going to have to have a dog," Burnam said.

So far, businesses and citizens around Cadiz have donated the bulk of the money needed for the dog. Additionally, a local veterinarian has given food and offered services for the dog when it arrives.

With a lot of drugs coming from the south on Interstate 24, the dog would help stop some of the trafficking into Trigg County, Burnam said.

The dog will be a passive dog, not a bite dog, and will most likely be a Labrador, Burnam said. Use of the dog will be community wide. Local schools have already contacted the sheriff's department and asked for lockers to be sniffed out by the dog.

Looking ahead, the department has already earmarked \$2,000 of this year's budget for the canine.

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## Dog dies from electrified trailer

BY DAVID SNOW  
FOR THE NEW ERA

A dog was electrocuted and a family endangered when their trailer became electrified around 4:15 p.m. Thursday. The trailer is on the 6300 block of Pembroke-Oak Grove Road in the St. Elmo community.

"It looks like the trailer was energized somehow," said Pembroke Volunteer Fire Department deputy Phillip Peterson, adding that the incident was not weather-related.

A mother and a daughter were home at the time. The

daughter was trapped inside until Pennyrite Rural Electric Cooperative Corporation workers turned off the power to the trailer.

A dog attached by a metal leash to the underpinning of the trailer was electrocuted. PRECC manager of member services Brent Gilkey said they asked the homeowner to have an electrician to check the trailer.

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### CRIME

## Man robbed with blunt object

FROM NEW ERA STAFF REPORTS

A Hopkinsville man reported that he was robbed Wednesday night on Glass Avenue, according to a Hopkinsville police report.

Michael A. Finley, 19, told police that around 9 p.m., a family member threatened him with a blunt object before stealing his cash.

The exact amount of cash stolen was not included in the report. Information about the suspect was redacted from the report, but as of Thursday evening, police had not made an arrest.

### LOCAL BRIEFS

## 101st Airborne Division Band to perform at HCC

The 101st Airborne Division Band will perform a free concert at 7:30 p.m. March 17 at Hopkinsville Community College. The concert will feature a broad range of music from traditional military band literature to contemporary favorites.

## Ag commissioner to visit county clerk's office

Kentucky Agriculture Commissioner James Comer will visit with Christian County Clerk Mike Kern along with local 4-H and Future

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## Senate begins review of proposed state budget

BY ROGER ALFORD  
THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

FRANKFORT, Ky. — With time running out in this year's legislative session, the Senate Thursday began reviewing a \$19.5 billion state budget proposal that calls for 8.4-percent spending cuts in most government agencies.

The Democratic-controlled House passed the two-year budget proposal on Wednesday, sending it to the Republican-dominated Senate where it could undergo major changes.

Senate President David Williams, R-Burkesville, said the Senate will have to move fast with only 17 working days remaining in the legislative session.

"We'll be here on Saturdays, and we'll be here on Sundays," he told reporters on Thursday.

Some 200,000 state and local government retirees would feel the state's financial pinch under the House proposal that eliminates 1.5 percent cost-of-living increases from their monthly pension payments.

Williams said budget subcommittees began work on Thursday reviewing the House proposal. He said the Senate is especially concerned about the amount of new debt included in the spending plan. Some 6.8 percent of the state's revenue is budgeted for debt in the House plan, down from 7.1 percent in the governor's original proposal.

"We're going to do everything we can to hold down the ratio of debt," Williams said.



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Kentucky state representatives Kelly Flood, D-Lexington (left), Jimmie Lee, D-Elizabethtown (center), and Jody Richards, D-Bowling Green, have a conversation before the House Committee on Appropriations and Revenue meeting Tuesday at the Capitol in Frankfort.

Some House Democrats complained Wednesday that the proposed budget cuts too deeply into government services. But, with a pervasive anti-tax sentiment in Frankfort, the only hope of more revenue is economic growth, which is occurring slowly across Kentucky. The state reported a major economic milestone on Thursday when the state's unemployment rate fell below 9 percent for the first time in three years.

Gov. Steve Beshear had declared "the day of reckoning has come" when he presented his budget proposal to lawmakers in January. Few government services

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## Jobless rate falls below 9 percent

FRANKFORT, Ky. (AP) — Kentucky's jobless rate has fallen below 9 percent for the first time in three years.

The Office of Employment and Training released January figures on Thursday, showing unemployment dipped to 8.8 percent.

Government economist Manoj Shanker said Kentucky has added about 19,600 jobs over the past year.

Seven of the state's 11 major job sectors reported employment increases in January 2012. Three reported declines.

One went unchanged.

The professional and business services sector added 3,700 positions in January 2012. Construction added 1,800. And manufacturing added 1,100.

The government sector lost 100 jobs. The education and health services sector declined by 400. And the financial activities sector shed 500 jobs.

Mining and logging reported no change.



# New ads pitch Marine Corps' kinder, gentler side

WASHINGTON (AP) — They've long been known as devil dogs, leathernecks and "the first to fight." But U.S. Marines, with their self-described expertise in "killing people and breaking things," now want to promote their kinder side as well.

A new Marine Corps advertising campaign starting this weekend takes its cue from research showing today's recruit-age generation is interested in helping people. So the campaign is crafted to show Marines not only as warriors but as humanitarians and peacekeepers; not only as courageous but also as compassionate.

Photos and videos to be distributed on television, in American movie theaters, on YouTube and elsewhere show Marines talking with children; bringing food, water and medical supplies to Haitian earthquake victims, and clearing rubble from a tsunami-devastated Japanese village. These missions aren't a new thing for the Marines, but they are ones the force expects to do more of as it's freed from a decade of fighting land wars in Iraq and

Afghanistan and returns to its seafaring, expeditionary roots.

Entitled "Toward the Sounds of Chaos," the campaign seeks to explain that in an uncertain world, Marines "need to be ready to engage in whatever activity our country needs us to engage in," Brig. Gen. Joseph L. Osterman, head of the Marine Corps Recruiting Command, said in a recent interview.

"That may go all the way from a combat-type environment, as we've been doing for the last 10 years, to what we did before ... emergent chaotic situations ... catastrophes ... natural disasters ... or failed-state-type situations where people need help," he said.

The smallest of the service branches, at 202,000, the Marine Corps trains and equips itself with the aim of being light and agile enough to get to any crisis on a moment's notice. They sometimes call themselves "The 911 Force," at the ready to restore order, come to the rescue or evacuate those in danger. A Marine in one of the new advertising videos runs toward an unidentified city



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This undated handout advertising poster, provided by the US Marine Corps, will be distributed at Marine Corps recruiting stations as part of a new Corps television, Web and print advertising campaign being launched this weekend.

under a smoke-filled sky amid sounds of people screaming.

"There are a few who move toward the sounds of chaos ... toward the sounds of tyranny, injustice and despair," a voice says. "Which way would you run?"

The question is a subtle appeal to the generation known as millennials, who said in a survey that they believe in giving back to society, voting in national elections and "helping peo-

ple in need, wherever they may live," said Marshall Lauck, director of the Marine Corps' advertising account at JWT ad agency.

JWT does year-round research and periodic larger efforts with the Corps to keep an eye on what the pool of potential American recruits is thinking. It found in the late 2010 survey of 17- to 24-year-olds that roughly 70 percent believed helping others was essential to being a good citizen today.

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# Saturday comedy shows to support disabled

BY DAVID SNOW  
FOR THE NEW ERA

Life is funny, but sometimes you just have to hear for yourself just how funny it is.

That's where Etta May and "Big John" Richardson come in. They are appearing at the Valor Hall Conference and Event Center on Saturday with two shows full of humor, talking about everyday life and how funny it can be.

"The Etta May Comedy Show" will begin at 6 p.m. and at 8:30 p.m. Doors open at 5 p.m. Shows are

open to anyone 18 or older, and tickets are \$20 for military with ID, \$25 for general admission and \$35 for couples. Tickets can be purchased through the websites [www.ascomedylive.com](http://www.ascomedylive.com) or [www.asallsupport.org](http://www.asallsupport.org). All online tickets can be retrieved at the will-call booth at Valor Hall.

The show will be performed in the 101st Ballroom, with food and drink vendors setting up in the Rendezvous Hall dining area.

All proceeds will benefit A&S All-Support Inc. of Clarksville, Tenn.,

which helps bridge the employment gap for individuals with disabilities through the use of skill assessments, placement services and job coaching.

Janese Cleary, the chief executive officer for A&S All Support Inc., said her organization is about finding long-term employment for people with disabilities, not just a job.

"Our clients come to us through state and federal programs," she said. "A typical client for us would be somebody who has autism or a physical disability. A lot of our

clients have a wide variety of disabilities, but to me, it doesn't matter what your disability is. As long as you have a doctor-documented disability, you deserve services."

For more information about A&S All-Support Inc., call 931-542-6327 or go to the website [asallsupport.org](http://asallsupport.org). A&S All-Support Inc. is a 501(c)3 nonprofit organization, so donations are tax-deductible.

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## Reducing the number of counties makes sense

One of the best arguments for the consolidation of Kentucky counties is illustrated in a Kentucky New Era story about Todd County's state financial audit.

The audit report, explained in a Wednesday story, notes that Todd County is not meeting a procedural standard for its handling of county financial transactions because it doesn't have enough employees in county government. Ideally, a better system of bookkeeping would exist to segregate certain duties. But when a handful of workers, including the elected county-judge executive and the appointed treasurer, run almost everything that happens on the business side of county of government, that becomes impossible.

No one is saying that Todd County employees are breaking the law or being irresponsible. The county is simply too small to hire the number of people needed for that standard of operation the state wants to see in Kentucky's 120 counties. And that potential is there, as it is in many counties with too few employees to ensure a good system of checks and balances, for employees to steal taxpayer money.

Todd County Treasurer Tammy Robertson, who has worked in the county office for 11 years, explained it best. "It's because we're simply a small county and we can't hire one person to get the mail, one person to deliver the mail, one person to deposit the mail," she said. "And that's literally what they're expecting."

Kentucky has more counties than any other state except for Georgia, Texas and Virginia. Nationwide, our counties are among the smallest geographically and in population.

It would make good financial sense for many of Kentucky's counties to consolidate. There are many political and provincial reasons to this.

The pressure from local elected officials who have strong ties to state representatives and senators could make consolidation nearly impossible.

But the General Assembly needs to approach the possibility of consolidation as a way for Kentuckians to get more bang for their bucks. In 2000, state lawmakers considered a plan that would have given financial incentives to counties that agreed in a voter referendum to consolidate. It's time to try again.

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### OUR OPINION



### COLUMNIST

## 10 questions for Super Tuesday

1. What were the Republicans thinking when they "reformed" their system to look more like the Democrats' system? (Meanwhile, the Democrats have been trying to reform their system to give more power to elected officials and elites and make it easier for a winner to win.) Short answer: the same thing liberal ideologues were thinking in the '70s and '80s when they (we) created theirs (ours). Make it harder for the establishment candidate who starts out with the most money and the most votes to win. Make it easier for insurgents to compete by giving them a proportionate number of delegates and stretching out the process. And guess what: It's working.

2. What was Mitt Romney doing in Massachusetts? There were a lot of places he could be on primary night — like one of the next states up, which is one of the oldest tricks in the book if you're not sure you're going to beat anyone in the biggies. Or even D.C., where you're playing in Obama's backyard against the backdrop of your win in Virginia. But saying "home" so many times in the state that brought you John Kerry, Ted Kennedy and Mike Dukakis? Don't get me wrong. It's my home state, too, and I worked for those men, proudly. That's my point.

3. How do these guys do it without money? Sure, they've made Romney's wealth an issue politically. But still. It used to be that candidates dropped out of the race because they didn't have money, and without money they couldn't organize and compete. Not anymore. You don't need people working weeks in advance to get people to come to an event. Hello, Twitter. I can communicate with thousands of "friends" right here and right now without spending a dime. And so can millions of other people. We've been waiting for the Internet to revolutionize politics. It has.

4. Why can't any of these guys give a short speech? The longer the speech the less control you have over what the networks and the radio will cover. Do you really want half of the clip to be about your relatives on the stage or, in Romney's case, how much you love the Bay State? Cut to the chase. Get your key points out. Get off the stage.

5. What's with the gloom and doom thing? Gloom and doom Democrats. That's what they used to call us. There was Ronald Reagan doing

"morning in America" (in 1984, when we were also coming out of a recession), and there we were talking about how awful things were. Hello, Mitt. His whole campaign has been based on the downhill slide of a failing economy. What if people are starting to feel a little better about it? Old rule: Optimist always beats pessimist.

6. Brokered convention? The media love to talk about it. There aren't all kinds of reasons it shouldn't happen, including the fact that the last one, in 1952, wasn't being covered 24/7 by cable news networks. Brokered conventions look like deals, not democracy. Blood gets left on the floor. We don't even pick vice presidents at the conventions anymore, for fear that something could (as it has repeatedly) go wrong. Conventions are TV shows: four days of advertisements that you don't pay for. You want floor fights? Backroom sessions? Deals? Is God a Democrat? Seriously.

7. Sarah Palin? Hello. Just in time for the HBO movie "Game Change," she injects herself into the Republican race and — if Democrats are lucky — will suck all of the air out of the room, detract from the actual candidates and make "Saturday Night Live" really worth watching.

8. How smart is Obama? On Monday, Attorney General Eric Holder gave a speech about when it is OK for the United States to assassinate American al-Qaida leaders who are on foreign soil. Answer: Sometimes. On Super Tuesday, Obama's in the White House talking about what it's like to be commander in chief. Are there some people who think he's gone too far in fighting terrorism? Yes. Will any of them be voting Republican? Nope. Obama: the president who's (too) tough on terror. Who looked big this week? Who looked small?

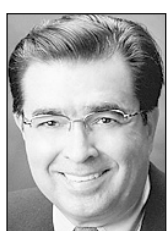
9. How come it took so long to find that op-ed by Romney endorsing individual mandates nationally? The word "mandate" didn't appear, so a Google search wouldn't turn it up? Maybe. But Romney had to know it was there. Romney had to know it was there. Bad stuff is supposed to come out early — not on the eve of Super Tuesday. And if you know it's there, you carefully navigate around it. Ouch.

10. How much fun is it to be a Democrat right now? November is a long time away. Things change. Even so, it's fun.

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**REP. BRENT YONTS**

### KY GENERAL ASSEMBLY

## Budget plan is a good one

Many have called the budget we passed in the House last week "ugly". Others call it a good plan, for what we lawmakers had to work with.

I am one of the latter.

Yes, the \$19.5 billion Executive Branch budget plan in HB 265, which we sent to the Senate on a 78-17 vote on Wednesday, includes 8.4 percent cuts for most state agencies over the next two years, as proposed by the governor in January. Yes, it would use those 8.4 percent cuts, along with 6.4 percent cuts to base state university funding, 4.2 cuts to operational funding of the Education Cabinet, 2.2 percent cuts to the operational budget of the Justice Cabinet, fund transfers, \$55 million in back tax collections, and a few other new revenue sources to bridge a \$740 million gap between revenue and spending through June 2014.

It would mean no state salary increases, no cost of living raises for state retirees (excluding retired teachers, whose cost of living increase is prepaid by their separate retirement system) to boost the state retirement systems by \$400 million, and, generally, not nearly the funding that most agencies, public universities, educators, justice officials and the rest of us want.

But there is still a lot of good in this proposed budget.

Even with that \$740 million budget hole, this budget would exempt a host of critical service areas — like total school attendance funding (SEEK), Medicaid, Corrections, teacher's retirement, preschools, student financial aid, public advocacy and coal severance funding — from cuts. And, it would provide new money in specific areas. More money would go to help lower the case loads handled by the state's overburdened social workers. More people with severe disabilities would be able to live in a residential setting in their home communities instead of institutions. There will be more money for veterans burial services, authorized funding for the fourth veterans nursing home to be located near Fort Knox, colon cancer screenings, the state's new one-stop business portal for business filings, expansion of the state drug tracking system KASPER, more funds to help the state work through a backlog of water permit applications, and some other needs.

On top of that, some funding left out of the governor's budget proposal that lawmakers deem important would be restored by HB 265. That means and county attorneys' offices, extended school services and our local Family Resource and Youth Services Centers, gifted and talented programs, and the Read to Achieve program.

At least \$55 million dollars to pay for the budget proposal would come from a tax amnesty program approved as part of a separate revenue bill, HB 499. Most of these back taxes that we hope to capture through amnesty — a process that allows those who are behind on their taxes to pay what is owed at reduced penalties — are owed by out of state individuals and companies. I have heard some estimate that the total amount owed is around \$1 billion. You can be sure that lawmakers will be doing more to recapture those back taxes, but, for now, HB 499 will boost what we can offer in this budget plan.

HB 265 also helps Kentucky's debt rating by reducing the amount of overall debt authorized over the biennium from \$968 million proposed by the governor to less than \$535 million. Most of that reduction will come from the absence of any agency bond authorization in HB 265.

House leaders have said they are optimistic that HB 265 and the judicial and legislative branch budgets proposed in HB 269 and HB 268 respectively will be the last of the state's barebones budgets, at least for a while. We all certainly hope that is the case. But, from July 2012 through July 2014, Kentucky state government will, I think, be doing quite a bit with what little we have until our state revenue rebounds.

HB 268 and HB 269, which propose operational budget cuts of 8.4 percent in the legislative and judicial branches over the biennium, also passed the House on Wednesday and follow HB 265 to the Senate for its approval.

Approval will not come quickly, as is typically the case in budget session. HB 265, at least, will be assigned to the Senate and ultimately amended by a House and Senate conference committee that will work up a budget compromise in the 14 or so legislative days left in this session. I will be sitting in on the conference sessions and keeping up with the budget process, each step of the way, to ensure that the needs of our region, in particular, and part of the entire discussion.

**BRENT YONTS** is the representative for House District 15. Please continue to stay informed of legislative action on bills of interest to you throughout the 2012 Regular Session by logging onto the Legislative Research Commission website at [www.lrc.ky.gov](http://www.lrc.ky.gov) or by calling the LRC toll-free Bill Status Line at 866-840-2835.

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### THOUGHT OF THE DAY

*"Do not anticipate trouble, or worry about what may never happen. Keep in the sunlight."*

**Benjamin Franklin**  
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### TODAY IN HISTORY

Today is **Friday, March 9**, the 69th day of 2012. There are 297 days left in the year.

**On this date:**  
**In 1796**, the future emperor of the French, Napoleon Bonaparte, married Josephine de Beauharnais.

**In 1861**, the Confederate Congress, meeting in Montgomery, Ala., authorized the issuing of paper

currency, in the form of interest-bearing notes.

**In 1862**, during the Civil War, the ironclads USS Monitor and CSS Virginia (formerly USS Merrimack) clashed for five hours to a draw at Hampton Roads, Va.

**In 1916**, Mexican raiders led by Pancho Villa attacked Columbus, N.M., killing 18 Americans.

**In 1945**, during World War II, U.S. B-29 bombers launched incendiary bomb attacks against Japan, resulting in an estimated 100,000 deaths.

**In 1954**, CBS newsman Edward R. Murrow critically reviewed Wisconsin Sen. Joseph R. McCarthy's anti-Communism campaign on "See It Now."

**In 1962**, the science fantasy nov-

el "A Wrinkle in Time" by Madeleine L'Engle was first published by Farrar, Straus & Giroux.

**In 1987**, Chrysler Corp. announced it had agreed to buy the financially ailing American Motors Corp.

**In 1992**, former Israeli Prime Minister Menachem Begin died in Tel Aviv at age 78.





# Romney is facing skepticism in the Republican South

JACKSON, Miss. (AP) — Mitt Romney faces a tough sell in the Deep South. With Mississippi and Alabama primaries coming up next Tuesday, there's concern that he's too slick, not really a conservative. In a region where the evangelical vote is important, some are skeptical about his Mormon faith. But if Romney wins the Republican nomination and it's a November choice between him and Democratic President Barack Obama, the former Massachusetts gov-

ernor may be just good enough for some Southerners. "If push comes to shove and he gets the nomination, I'll go in the voting booth like this and vote for him," says Mississippi retiree David Wilke, holding his nose. Romney acknowledges that he faces an uphill battle in Tuesday's Southern primaries. In an interview Thursday with Birmingham, Ala., radio station WAPI, he said the Deep South contests would be "a bit of an away game" for him.

Former House Speaker Newt Gingrich, who represented Georgia for 20 years and now lives in Virginia, needs to win every state from South Carolina to Texas to get to the convention this summer, spokesman R.C. Hammond says. Former Pennsylvania Sen. Rick Santorum's staff says he'll be aggressive in states where Gingrich expects to perform well. Gingrich scored an early primary victory in South Carolina and won this week in Georgia.

## CCPS: School report shows growth

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goals, academic performance by race and gender, teacher qualifications, student safety, parental involvement and student monetary and technological resources. The report card percentages are culled from the Kentucky Core Content Tests, which score students in five areas: reading, mathematics, science, social studies and writing on demand. Students are then ranked either Novice, Apprentice, Proficient or Distinguished in each category. Further, a student will then be considered Low, Medium or High within each ranking. NCLB only takes into account the reading and mathematics portion of the test. Percentages are based on students who scored proficient or distinguished. The district was nearly 2 percent above the state average in reading and almost 1 percent above the state average in math. However, the district fell below the state average graduation rate by around 5 percent. Kentucky has a 76.68 percent graduation rate, 70.98 percent average in reading and a 64.21 percent in math. The state percentage is based on an aggregate of all elementary, middle and high schools in Kentucky. Christian County High School recorded a 56 percent in reading and a rounded 41 percent in math. And while CCHS improved in most areas tested, it dropped 4 percent from last year's scores in 11th-grade science, nearly 16 percent below the state's average. The district spends around \$5,400 on each student at CCHS. The average for students in the district is \$10,213, a few hundred below most Kentucky schools. There were two weapons violations at CCHS. Both students were expelled. Almost 45 percent of the teachers at CCHS have a master's degree in art or science. Hopkinsville High School was above the state average in reading, but fell 23 percent below the state average in math. Tenth-grade African-American students jumped more than 36 percent in reading at HHS from last year's scores. HHS was above the state in 11th-grade social studies and 12th-

grade writing. There was one weapon violation at HHS and that student was expelled. Thirty-eight percent of the teachers at HHS have a master's degree. Christian County Middle School scored below the state and district averages in every grade and subject reported. North Drive Middle School also was below both averages in every subject and grade reported except seventh-grade math. NDMS recorded lower scores than last year in sixth-grade reading and math and eighth-grade math and writing. Hopkinsville Middle School was above the district and state averages for reading and math and improved last year's scores in almost all areas tested. Seventh-grade African-American students showed more than a 50 percent increase in those scoring proficient and distinguished in science from the year prior. Out of the 11 elementary schools, almost all had a much higher percentage than the state average. For example, 92 percent of Sinking Fork Elementary students were ranked proficient or distinguished in math, 28 percent higher than the state average. In addition, fourth-graders at Pembroke Elementary scored more than 20 percent higher than the state average in reading. Many of the other elementary schools showed similar scoring. Indian Hills Elementary was the only elementary school that scored below the state average in reading, but was above the state average in math. Additionally, fourth-grade reading at Indian Hills decreased by 17 percent from last year's report card. In the same subject and grade, African-Americans at Indian Hills recorded a 30 percent decrease in those scoring proficient and distinguished from the 2009-10 school year. MLK and Millbrooke elementary schools each reported a single weapons violation. Both students were reported to have been expelled.

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## KENTUCKY BRIEF

### Ky. House OKs bill to control prescription drugs

FRANKFORT, Ky. (AP) — The Kentucky House of Representatives has approved a proposal to control prescription drug abuse in the state by regulating pain management facilities and requiring doctors who prescribe federally controlled drugs to refer to a state prescription monitoring database before writing prescriptions. The bill passed Thursday afternoon by a vote of 81-7. Earlier in the day, the Senate Judiciary Committee approved a similar bill sponsored by Sen. Jimmy Higdon, R-Lebanon. Speaker of the House Greg Stumbo, D-Prestonsburg, the main sponsor of the House bill, said he expects the House and Senate to reach an agreement on a comprehensive measure that could be "the landmark legislation" of the 2012 regular session. On the floor of the House, the speaker thanked Higdon, Sen. Robert Stivers, R-Manchester, and other senators who have worked on the issue in the Senate. "We want a comprehensive piece of legislation that will help us combat this part of the battle in this terrible war on drugs," Stumbo said.

## BRIDGE: Ky. awards contract for repairs

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season for all of this region," Beshear said during a visit to the region. Engineers initially thought it might take until September or October to finish repairs, he said. But an underwater inspection revealed no significant damage to the bridge's piers, he said. The state Transportation Cabinet awarded the contract to Hall Contracting of Kentucky Inc., based in Louisville. Its bid came in well below proposals from two other contractors that exceeded \$11 million each, officials said. To shave several months off the project, the state invited a select group of pre-qualified bridge contractors to submit bids. Beshear said the project may qualify for federal funding, but said the state will cover the bill if necessary. Hall Contracting handled the recent repairs to the Sherman Minton Bridge connecting Louisville and southern Indiana. Those repairs were completed last month ahead of

schedule. Workers added steel plating to strengthen the Ohio River bridge, which was closed in September after a crack was found in a steel support beam. Hall was rewarded with \$100,000-a-day incentive — up to \$5 million — to beat the deadline on that project. No such incentives were offered for the bridge work in western Kentucky. But the contract includes a \$50,000-per-day penalty for missing the May 27 deadline to reopen the Eggners Ferry Bridge to traffic. When the cargo ship struck the bridge, the 322-foot section collapsed onto the vessel's deck and into the lake. The ship was carrying rocket parts for NASA and the U.S. Air Force. The missing span has halted traffic on U.S. 68 between the western shore of Kentucky Lake and the Land Between the Lakes National Recreation Area. Joe Walker, who owns and operates nearby Kentucky Beach Resort with

his wife, said the Memorial Day deadline means they'll have to spend less time rerouting some customers headed for a stay at their getaway along Kentucky Lake. Their business reopens later this month for the spring fishing season. The biggest impediment for his business, though, is the sluggish economy that's keeping some people from taking vacations, he said. "For those that do have money, we darn well don't want to lose their business," Walker said. "And the reality is we've got a very big problem, and that is that bridge." The state has plans to replace the aging Eggners Ferry Bridge and another span over nearby Lake Barkley that is similar in age and size. Both spans are to be replaced with four-lane bridges, but the project is still in a preconstruction phase. Beshear's highway plan that he sent to state lawmakers included \$330 million in construction funding for the two bridges.

## BRIEFS: Ag commissioner to visit county clerk

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Farmers of America officers Monday. Comer will encourage Christian County citizens to make a \$10 donation to be divided evenly among Kentucky 4-H, Kentucky FFA and Kentucky Proud when they renew their farm license plates. Comer is traveling to county clerks' offices throughout the state to promote voluntary donations. "FFA and 4-H give Kentucky's young people opportunities to participate in constructive activities while they learn the value of hard work and discipline," Comer said.

### Entrepreneurs' business plan competition announced

Aspiring entrepreneurs who want to start a business in Christian County could win free consulting services and

\$5,000 cash in a competition announced on Wednesday. Christian County Cares 2015 Vision Plan is putting on the contest with help from the Murray State University Regional Business and Innovation Center and several local businesses. Contestants must register by March 26 and submit final business plans by April 30. Judges will choose a winner based on concept quality, marketability, strength of the financial model and long-term sustainability, according to a Christian County Cares news release. In workshops before the final deadline, judges will offer contestants feedback on their business models. The entry form is available at <http://entrepreneur.christiancountychamber.com> and at the Christian County Chamber of Commerce on Fort Campbell Boulevard.

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## BUDGET: Proposed budget calls for spending cuts

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were spared under his plan to close a \$742 million shortfall. State Rep. Rick Rand, chairman of the House Appropriations and Revenue Committee, said Beshear's budget went largely unchanged, with some notable exceptions. The House whittled Beshear's proposal for some \$950 million in new debt down to \$350 million. Rand said House lawmakers also removed from Beshear's

budget proposal several construction projects at the state's public universities, even though those projects were being paid for without General Fund appropriations. The House also approved Beshear's proposed tax amnesty plan that lawmakers believe could collect \$55 million over the next two years. It would be the state's first offer of tax amnesty in a decade, and would forgive some penalties if people come forward and pay their taxes.

## DOG: Detection dog could reduce drug related crimes

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"We will get the \$10,000," Burnam said. "I'm not worried about that and we're not going to give up." In the near future, Burnam will be sitting down with attorneys to write out a policy on what the dog can and cannot be used for. Anyone interested in donating to the dog fund can stop by the sheriff's department or mail a check to P.O. Box 1690, Cadiz, KY 42211.

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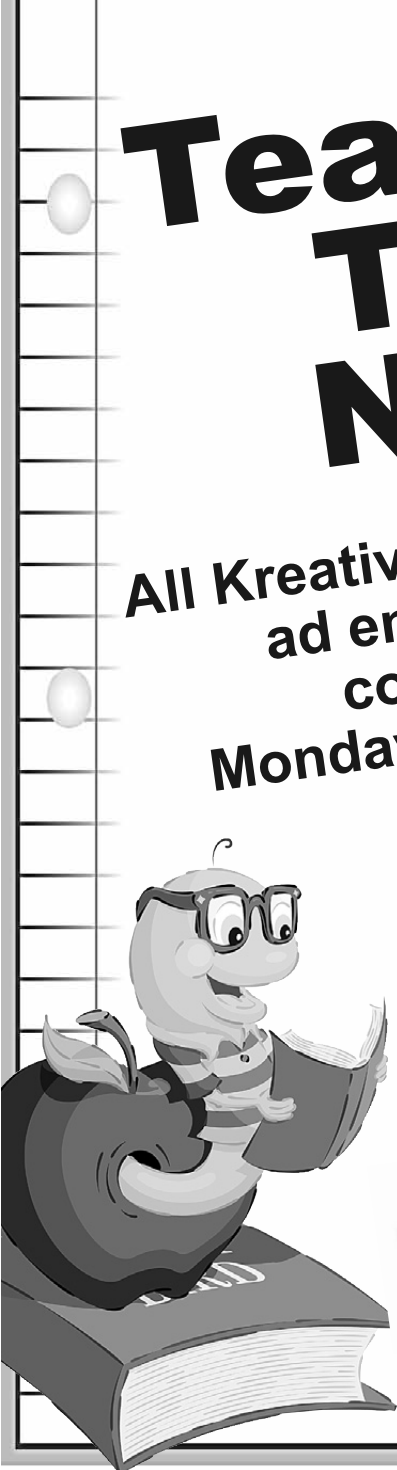
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# Fort Campbell post office hosts Passport Day

BY DAVID SNOW  
FOR THE NEWERA

The Fort Campbell post office will be one of several post offices across Kentucky to take part this Saturday in National Passport Day in the USA, a U.S. Postal Service event that allows people to get passports or renew them. “The event has been launched by the Department of State, and it’s to provide convenient passport service at these acceptance facilities,” said Fort Campbell postmaster Bill Henderson. “Usually, we have to schedule appointments, but we’re doing it on a day where we have enough available personnel to take the walk-ins.”

The event will be from 10 a.m.-2 p.m. Saturday. Children under the age of 16 will need to have both parents available or have a notarized form.

“The post office usually processes about 22,000 passports a day,” Henderson said. “Since they’ve done this Passport Day, they’ve processed 150,000 passports just on that day alone. Here at Fort Camp-



bell, we average about 10 a day, and probably more than that, once we’re fully functional.”

The Fort Campbell post office has a room for processing passports and usually brings in an expert to handle passports by appointment. The post office usually does not process passports on Saturdays.

People can bring their own photos to be used with the passport, or they can have them taken at the post office for \$15.

To make the process of getting a passport easier, fill out the online form at travel.state.gov, print it out and bring it to the post office with a certified birth certificate or a copy.

The Fort Campbell post office is at 91 Michigan Ave. and can be reached at 270-439-4114.

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# Solar storm not nearly as bad as could have been

WASHINGTON (AP) — Our high-tech world seems to have easily weathered a solar storm that didn’t quite live up to its advance billing.

While some experts think the threat from the solar storm passed by Thursday afternoon, space weather forecasters said it’s still too early to relax. That’s because there’s a chance the storm’s effects could continue and even intensify through Friday morning.

And while this solar storm may have fizzled, others may be lining up in the cosmic shooting gallery in the coming days month and year, the scientists agree.

“It looks to me like it’s over,” NASA solar physicist David Hathaway said late Thursday afternoon, after noticing a drop in a key magnetic reading.

That conclusion is premature, said Doug Biesecker, a space scientist at the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration’s Space Weather Prediction Center in Boulder, Colo., which forecasts solar storms. He pointed to an increase in a different magnetic field measurement.

The storm, which started with a solar flare Tuesday evening, caused a stir Wednesday because forecasts were for a strong storm with the potential to knock electrical grids offline, mess with GPS and harm satellites. It even forced airlines to reroute a few flights on Thursday.

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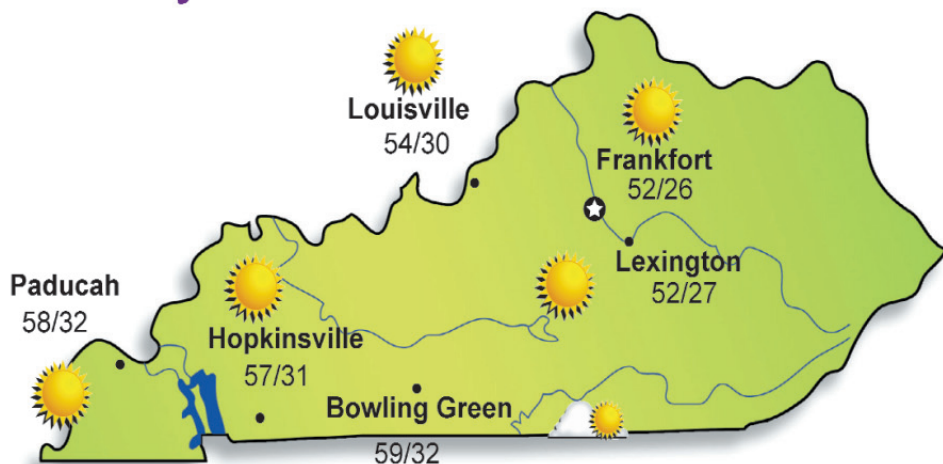
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<b>57/31</b>		<b>62/45</b>		<b>61/57</b>		<b>70/58</b>		<b>75/58</b>	
Sunny skies. High 57F. Winds N at 10 to 20 mph.		Sunshine. Highs in the low 60s and lows in the mid 40s.		Few showers. Highs in the low 60s and lows in the upper 50s.		Thundershowers. Highs in the low 70s and lows in the upper 50s.		Partly cloudy. Highs in the mid 70s and lows in the upper 50s.	
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## Kentucky At A Glance



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### Area Cities

City	Hi	Lo	Cond.	City	Hi	Lo	Cond.	City	Hi	Lo	Cond.
Ashland	51	24	mst sunny	Glasgow	57	31	sunny	Murray	60	34	sunny
Bowling Green	59	32	pt sunny	Hopkinsville	57	31	sunny	Nashville, TN	59	33	mst sunny
Cincinnati, OH	50	26	sunny	Knoxville, TN	59	33	pt sunny	Owensboro	55	31	sunny
Corbin	56	28	pt sunny	Lexington	52	27	sunny	Paducah	58	32	sunny
Covington	48	27	sunny	Louisville	54	30	sunny	Pikeville	57	33	pt sunny
Cynthiana	51	25	sunny	Madisonville	57	31	sunny	Prestonsburg	54	27	pt sunny
Danville	53	28	pt sunny	Mayfield	61	32	sunny	Richmond	53	29	mst sunny
Elizabethtown	54	28	sunny	Middlesboro	59	30	pt sunny	Russell Springs	56	29	pt sunny
Evansville, IN	54	28	sunny	Morehead	52	26	sunny	Somerset	56	30	mst sunny
Frankfort	52	26	sunny	Mount Vernon	54	27	mst sunny	Winchester	53	28	sunny

### National Cities

City	Hi	Lo	Cond.	City	Hi	Lo	Cond.	City	Hi	Lo	Cond.
Atlanta	58	41	rain	Houston	61	55	t-storm	Phoenix	74	48	sunny
Boston	48	29	pt sunny	Los Angeles	81	51	sunny	San Francisco	69	45	sunny
Chicago	40	28	sunny	Miami	81	69	t-storm	Seattle	53	44	rain
Dallas	49	45	rain	Minneapolis	36	32	mst sunny	St. Louis	54	33	sunny
Denver	55	33	sunny	New York	49	33	pt sunny	Washington, DC	57	35	pt sunny

### Moon Phases

<b>Full</b> Mar 8	<b>Last</b> Mar 15	<b>New</b> Mar 22	<b>First</b> Mar 30

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Fri 3/9	Sat 3/10	Sun 3/11	Mon 3/12	Tue 3/13
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HOUCHENS INDUSTRIES/KHSAA GIRLS' SWEET 16 STATE BASKETBALL TOURNAMENT

# Sweet victory

## GAME BOX

Marshall Co. (52)				
Player	FG	FGA	FT	TP
Reed	0	0	1	1
To.Fehrenbacher	3	5	4	11
Meadows	3	10	1	8
McKenty	5	10	1	15
York	2	4	0	5
T.Fehrenbacher	1	7	0	2
Brown	1	1	0	2
Barnard	4	5	0	8
Totals	19	42	7	52
Hopkinsville (56)				
Player	FG	FGA	FT	TP
Soldo	11	17	2	24
Cole	1	3	3	5
Duvall	3	6	0	6
Cook	4	10	1	12
Majors	2	6	1	5
Cager	1	4	1	4
Cabiness	0	2	0	0
Totals	22	48	8	56

**3-Point Goals**—Marshall 7-14 (To. Fehrenbacher 1-1, Meadows 1-4, McKenty 4-8, York 1-1; Hoptown 4-8 (Cook 3-5, Majors 0-1, Cager 1-2)). **Fouled Out**—None. **Rebounds**—Marshall 32 (Barnard 11), Hoptown 27 (Soldo,Cole 7). **Assists**—Marshall 7 (McKenty, York 2), Hoptown 12 (Majors 5). **Total Fouls**—Marshall 12, Hoptown 11. **Technical**—None. **A**—N/A.

Scoring by halves:				
Marshall County	16	10	15	11 — 52
Hopkinsville	16	15	15	10 — 56

# Hoptown escapes Marshals

BY KEITH JENKINS  
NEW ERA ASSISTANT SPORTS EDITOR

BOWLING GREEN, Ky. — Hopkinsville's daunting interior presence trumped Marshall County's speedy guards and exterior shooting yet again Thursday.

Christy Soldo finished with a game-high 24 points and seven rebounds and the Lady Tigers held off the Lady Marshals 56-52 in the first round of the KHSAA Girls' Sweet 16 State Basketball Tournament at E.A. Diddle Arena.

The win marked the first state-tournament victory in school history for the Hopkinsville girls' program and the second time this season the Region 2 champions defeated the Region 1 champs from Benton.

"What it comes down to basically is we do what we do better than they do what they do," said Soldo, who led the Lady Tigers to a 60-49 win over the host Lady Marshals on Jan. 17.

Hopkinsville will face Region 5 champion and No. 2-ranked Marion County at 6:30 p.m. today. The Lady Knights (32-4), who are led by junior guard Makayla Epps, the daughter of former Kentucky standout Anthony Epps, beat Region 8 winner Walton-Verona 56-49 Thursday.

The Lady Marshals (27-9) shot 7-for-14 from behind the arc, but knew they had to find a way to contain Soldo on the defensive end to have any shot.

"We just wanted to throw a lot of bodies at her," Marshall coach Joseph Simmons said of the Region 2 Player of the Year and future Murray State Racer. "... We just wanted to make her feel somebody around her. She made tough shots. You get upset because she scores. But there's not a whole lot you can do when she turns around and shoots that jumper right on top of you."

Soldo shot 5-for-9 from the field and scored 10 points in the first half, but it was the sharp shooting

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Hopkinsville High School girls' basketball coach Tonya Wells reacts after her team defeated Marshall County in the first round of the Girls' Sweet 16 State Basketball Tournament Thursday afternoon at E.A. Diddle Arena in Bowling Green.



Hopkinsville senior forward Christy Soldo (5, above) goes up for a shot late in the game against Marshall County as the Lady Marshals' Alyssa Barnard applies pressure on Thursday afternoon at E.A. Diddle Arena in Bowling Green. Meanwhile, Hoptown senior center Ashlee Cole (20, right) collides with Marshall County's Allie York as they battle for a rebound in the final seconds of the Lady Tigers' 56-52 victory.



# Soldo wills team to victory

BY JOE WILSON  
NEW ERA SPORTS EDITOR

BOWLING GREEN, Ky. — It was a familiar place for the Hopkinsville Lady Tigers. They were clinging to a lead, needing a basket — the game on the line.

Then the Lady Tigers' leader, Christy Soldo, arrived on cue, delivering a big basket.

The senior forward, who has committed to Murray State University, played the hero for Hopkinsville again on Thursday in its 56-52 victory over Marshall County in the first round of the KHSAA Girls' Sweet 16 State Basketball Tournament in Bowling Green.

After squandering a 14-point, third-quarter lead, the Lady Tigers found themselves trailing by one. Hoptown coach Tonya Wells called a timeout and told her team to get the ball to Soldo.

She responded with the go-ahead basket with 41 seconds remaining.

"We have to get the ball in her hands, we got to," Hopkinsville coach Tonya Wells said. "She has to touch the ball for us to win. She may not touch it every time down, but if we don't get the ball to her every other time down or something like that we're in trouble."

Just like Kim Roberts willed the Christian County Lady Colonels to the 1987 state quarterfinals and David Joiner carried the 1983

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**On the web:**  
Follow the Lady Tigers against Marion County in the Sweet 16 quarterfinals tonight at [www.kentuckynewera.com](http://www.kentuckynewera.com)

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## TODAY'S GAMES

PREP	PREP	COLLEGE BASKETBALL	COLLEGE BASKETBALL
Girls' Basketball	Girls' Basketball	SEC Tournament	Big East Tournament
HOPKINSVILLE	MANUAL	LSU	SYRACUSE
VS. MARION CO.	VS. MONTGOMERY CO.	VS. KENTUCKY	VS. CINCINNATI
6:30 P.M.	MAGOFFIN CO.	12 P.M.	6 P.M.
LOU. BUTLER	VS. LINCOLN CO.	FLORIDA	LOUISVILLE
VS. DUNBAR	8 P.M.	VS. ALABAMA	VS. NOTRE DAME
12 P.M.		2:30 P.M.	8 P.M.

## TOP SCORES

PREP	COLLEGE BASKETBALL
MAGOFFIN COUNTY	LSU
ASHLAND BLAZER	ARKANSAS
MARION COUNTY	LOUISVILLE
WALTON-VERONA	MARQUETTE
63	70
59	54
56	84
49	71



COLLEGE BASKETBALL

LSU beats Arkansas, to face Kentucky today

NEW ORLEANS (AP) — Johnny O'Bryant picked an opportune time to get his sloppy ball-handling under control and transform back into the dominant inside force that LSU needs him to be. O'Bryant scored 18 points, grabbed 11 rebounds and added only two turnovers to his team-leading total for the season, and LSU pulled away in the second half for a 70-54 victory over Arkansas in the opening game of the Southeastern Conference tournament on Thursday.

O'Bryant scored 12 of his points during the final 20 minutes and finished with 10 points from the free-throw line. But for all his dominance, it was his relative lack of turnovers that pleased LSU coach Trent Johnson most. O'Bryant had 59 turnovers during the regular season.

"The biggest adjustment versus their pressure in the half court (was) he did a good enough job taking care of the ball," Johnson said. "We have a size advantage, so we should be able, if we're playing well ... to get something done productive in the post. But the biggest improvement for Johnny was he didn't throw the ball way a lot."

Storm Warren scored 14 for LSU (18-13), which had ended its regular season with a three-game skid but rediscovered its offense in time to open the postseason with a convincing victory. The Tigers' reward is a second-round game today against No. 1 Kentucky (30-1), which has won 22 straight.

■Alabama 63, South Carolina 57: Trevor Lacey scored 15 points, JaMychal Green added 12 and Alabama played lockdown defense in the final six minutes to beat South Carolina 63-57 in the opening round of the Southeastern Conference tournament on Thursday.

The fifth-seeded Crimson Tide led for most of the game, but South Carolina tied it at 51 on the



Arkansas guard Rashad Madden (right) is fouled by LSU guard and former Christian County standout Anthony Hickey during their game in the first round of the 2012 Southeastern Conference basketball tournament Thursday at the New Orleans Arena in New Orleans. Hickey finished with seven points, seven assists and two steals.

LSU or Ark. vs. Kentucky

**When:** Today  
**Where:** New Orleans  
**Time:** Noon  
**On the air:** TV: SEC Network, noon; Radio: WHOP-FM (98.7)/WKDZ-FM (106.5), 10:30 a.m.



second of back-to-back 3-pointers by Brenton Williams with 6:38 remaining. Alabama (21-10) then held 12th-seeded South Carolina (10-21) scoreless for more than five minutes and did enough on offense to ease past the Gamecocks.

■Mississippi 68, Auburn 54: Nick Williams scored a career-high 22 points, and Mis-

issippi defeated Auburn 68-54 in the first round of the Southeastern Conference Tournament on Thursday night.

Williams, whose previous career-high was 21, was 9-of-14 shooting and drained four 3-pointers. Murphy Holloway added 13 points and 13 rebounds for the Rebels (19-12), who have won four straight and might be able to make a case for an at-large bid to the NCAA tournament should they upset Tennessee in their second-round game tonight.

■Georgia 71, Mississippi State 61: Gerald Robinson scored 23 points, Dustin Ware added 13 and Georgia beat Mississippi State 71-61 in the opening round of the Southeastern Conference tournament on Thursday night.

Georgia stretched its lead to 54-41 on Robinson's layup with 8:12 remaining.

Georgia has won three of four and will face Vanderbilt in the quarterfinals today.



Louisville coach Rick Pitino calls out to his team during the first half of its game against Marquette in the quarterfinals of the Big East Conference tournament Thursday in New York.

Cards turn over No. 9 Marquette

NEW YORK (AP) — Kyle Kuric scored 20 points, Peyton Siva added 18 and Louisville forced No. 9 Marquette into a season-high 26 turnovers, advancing to the Big East tournament semifinals with an 84-71 victory Thursday night.

Wearing a new set of bright orange, neon-looking uniforms, the seventh-seeded Cardinals flashed their quick hands all over the court and held Big East Player of the Year Jae Crowder to 10 points in 31 foul-plagued minutes. Russ Smith and Chane Behanan each scored 12 points for Louisville (24-9), which plays No. 23 Notre Dame tonight.

■No. 2 Syracuse 58, Connecticut 55: Dion Waiters had 18 points and James Southerland scored all 10 of his points in the final 8 minutes to lead No. 2 Syracuse to a 58-55 victory over Connecticut on Thursday in the quarterfinals of the Big East tournament, snapping the Huskies' 13-game postseason winning streak.

The top-seeded Orange (31-1) won their 11th straight game overall and advanced to face Cincinnati in the semifinals tonight at Madison Square Garden.

■Cincinnati 72, No. 13 Georgetown 70, 2 OT: Cashmere Wright banked in a runner with 7.6 seconds left, and Cincinnati beat No. 13 Georgetown in double overtime 72-70 on Thursday in another multiple-OT classic at the Big East tournament.

The Bearcats (23-9) trailed by 11 points midway through the second half of the quarterfinal but rallied behind Yancy Gates, who scored 23 points in his back-and-forth big man duel with Henry Sims.

■No. 23 Notre Dame 57, South Florida 53, OT: Eric Atkins scored all six of his points in overtime and No. 23 Notre Dame beat South Florida 57-53 on Thursday night in the quarterfinals of the Big East tournament.

Authorities probing AU's Ward for point shaving

AUBURN, Ala. (AP) — Federal authorities are investigating suspended Auburn point guard Varez Ward for alleged point shaving involving in at least two games this season, Yahoo Sports reported Thursday.

The report cited anonymous sources and said the FBI began an investigation in late February centering on losses to Alabama on Feb. 7 and Arkansas on Jan. 25.

NCAA officials say they are "very concerned" by the allegations and have been in contact with the school and federal investigators since the issue arose last month.

"The NCAA takes any allegation of point shaving very seriously because sports wagering threatens two of our core principles — the well-being of student-athletes and the very integrity of intercollegiate sport," the NCAA said in a written statement Thursday. "As allegations of point shaving, if proven, are also potential federal crimes, the NCAA will defer action until any process with the FBI has concluded."

Ward and guard Chris Denson were both suspended before a Feb. 25 game against Arkansas, but Denson returned for the next game. Denson was questioned and cleared of involvement in point shaving, the report said.

SCOREBOARD

NBA					
At A Glance					
By The Associated Press					
All Times CST					
EASTERN CONFERENCE					
Atlantic	W	L	Pct	GB	
Philadelphia	23	17	.575	—	
Boston	20	18	.526	2	
New York	18	21	.462	4 1/2	
Toronto	13	26	.333	9 1/2	
New Jersey	13	27	.325	10	
Southwest	W	L	Pct	GB	
Miami	30	9	.769	—	
Orlando	26	15	.634	5	
Atlanta	23	16	.590	7	
Washington	9	29	.237	20 1/2	
Charlotte	5	32	.135	24	
Central	W	L	Pct	GB	
Chicago	33	9	.786	—	
Indiana	23	14	.622	7 1/2	
Milwaukee	15	24	.385	16 1/2	
Cleveland	14	23	.378	16 1/2	
Detroit	13	26	.333	18 1/2	
WESTERN CONFERENCE					
Southwest	W	L	Pct	GB	
San Antonio	26	12	.684	—	
Memphis	23	15	.605	3	
Dallas	23	17	.575	4	
Houston	21	19	.525	6	
New Orleans	9	30	.231	17 1/2	
Northwest	W	L	Pct	GB	
Oklahoma City	31	8	.795	—	
Denver	22	18	.550	9 1/2	
Minnesota	21	19	.525	10 1/2	
Utah	19	19	.500	11 1/2	
Portland	19	20	.487	12	
Pacific	W	L	Pct	GB	
L.A. Clippers	22	15	.595	—	
L.A. Lakers	23	16	.590	—	
Phoenix	17	21	.447	5 1/2	
Golden State	15	21	.417	6 1/2	
Sacramento	13	26	.333	10	
Thursday					
Orlando 99, Chicago 94					
Dallas at Phoenix, Late					
Today					
New Jersey at Charlotte, 6 p.m.					
Utah at Philadelphia, 6 p.m.					
Portland at Boston, 6:30 p.m.					
Atlanta at Detroit, 6:30 p.m.					
Cleveland at Oklahoma City, 7 p.m.					
L.A. Lakers at Minnesota, 7 p.m.					
L.A. Clippers at San Antonio, 7:30 p.m.					
New York at Milwaukee, 7:30 p.m.					
New Orleans at Denver, 8 p.m.					
Dallas at Sacramento, 9 p.m.					

COLLEGE BASKETBALL	
NCAA Automatic Bids	
Belmont, Atlantic Sun Conference	
Creighton, Missouri Valley Conference	
Davidson, Southern Conference	
Detroit, Horizon League	
Harvard, Ivy League	
Lehigh, Patriot League	
Long Island University, Northeast Conference	
Loyola (Md.), Metro Atlantic Athletic Conference	
Montana, Big Sky Conference	
Murray State, Ohio Valley Conference	
Saint Mary's (Cal), West Coast Conference	
South Dakota State, Summit League	
UNC Asheville, Big South Conference	
VCU, Colonial Athletic Association	
W. Kentucky, Sun Belt Conference	

TOURNAMENT	
Atlantic Coast Conference	
First Round	
Maryland 82, Wake Forest 60	
Miami 54, Georgia Tech 36	
NC State 78, Boston College 57	
Virginia Tech 68, Clemson 63	
Big 12 Conference	
Quarterfinals	
Baylor 82, Kansas St. 74	
Kansas 83, Texas A&M 66	
Missouri 88, Oklahoma St. 70	
Texas 71, Iowa St. 65	
Big East Conference	
Quarterfinals	
Cincinnati 72, Georgetown 70, 2OT	
Louisville 84, Marquette 71	
Notre Dame 57, South Florida 53, OT	
Syracuse 58, UConn 55	
Big Ten Conference	
First Round	
Indiana 75, Penn St. 58	
Iowa 64, Illinois 61	
Minnesota 75, Northwestern 68, OT	
Purdue 79, Nebraska 61	
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First Round	
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UC Irvine 65, Cal St.-Fullerton 59	
UC Santa Barbara 72, Pacific 52	
Conference USA	
Quarterfinals	
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Memphis 65, UTEP 47	
Southern Miss. 81, East Carolina 78, OT	
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First Round	
NJIT 65, Houston Baptist 64	
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Quarterfinals	
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San Diego St. 65, Boise St. 62	
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California 77, Stanford 71	
Oregon St. 86, Washington 84	
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Georgia 71, Mississippi St. 61	
LSU 70, Arkansas 54	
Mississippi 68, Auburn 54	
Southland Conference	
Semifinals	
Lamar 55, Stephen F. Austin 44	
McNeese St. 92, Texas-Arlington 72	
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First Round	
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First Round	
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Nevada 54, San Jose St. 44	
New Mexico St. 65, Fresno St. 49	

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The Associated Press	
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Lincoln Co. 56, Clay Co. 50	
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BASEBALL	
Spring Training Glance	
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AMERICAN LEAGUE	
W	L Pct
Detroit	6 0 1.000
Seattle	6 1 .857
Boston	3 1 .750
Los Angeles	3 1 .750
Kansas City	4 2 .667
Toronto	4 2 .667
Baltimore	3 2 .600
Oakland	4 3 .571
Minnesota	3 4 .429
Cleveland	2 3 .400
Texas	2 3 .400
New York	2 4 .333
Tampa Bay	2 5 .286
Chicago	1 3 .250
NATIONAL LEAGUE	
W	L Pct
Houston	4 2 .667
Los Angeles	2 1 .667
San Francisco	4 2 .667
Cincinnati	3 2 .600

SPORTS FORECAST

FRIDAY

High School Basketball

Hopkinsville vs. Marion Co. (G)

College Basketball

LSU vs. Kentucky, noon

Louisville vs. Notre Dame,

GOLF

Cadillac Championship Par Scores

Thursday

At TPC Blue Monster at Doral, Fla.

Purse: \$6.5 million

Yardage: 7,334- Par: 72 (36-36)

First Round

Adam Scott	34-32	—	66	-6
Jason Dufner	32-34	—	66	-6
Thomas Bjorn	34-34	—	68	-4
Charl Schwartzel	34-34	—	68	-4
Alvaro Quiros	33-36	—	69	-3
Kyle Stanley	33-36	—	69	-3
Keegan Bradley	33-36	—	69	-3
Aaron Baddeley	35-34	—	69	-3
Justin Rose	36-33	—	69	-3
Juvic Pagunsan	35-34	—	69	-3
Steve Stricker	31-38	—	69	-3
Miguel A. Jimenez	35-34	—	69	-3

Also

Bubba Watson	35-35	—	70	-2
Phil Mickelson	35-37	—	72	E
Y.E. Yang	36-36	—	72	E
Tiger Woods	36-36	—	72	E
David Toms	37-35	—	72	E
Geoff Ogilvy	37-36	—	73	+1
K.J. Choi	37-37	—	74	+2
Rickie Fowler	38-36	—	74	+2
Retief Goosen	38-36	—	74	+2
Vijay Singh	38-37	—	75	+3
Sergio Garcia	31-44	—	75	+3
Lee Westwood	36-40	—	76	+4
Ian Poulter	35-41	—	76	+4

Puerto Rico Open Par Scores

Thursday

At Trump International Golf Club-Puerto Rico

Rio Grande, Puerto Rico

Purse: \$3.5 million

Yardage: 7,506- Par: 72 (36-36)

First Round

Matt Jones	33-33	—	66	-6
George McNeil	33-33	—	66	-6
Ben Curtis	32-35	—	67	-5
Jeff Overton	31-37	—	68	-4
Kevin Kisner	35-33	—	68	-4
Todd Hamilton	34-34	—	68	-4
Daniel Summerhays	34-34	—	68	-4
Lee Janzen	34-35	—	69	-3
Gavin Coles	35-34	—	69	-3
Angel Cabrera	35-34	—	69	-3

Also

M. Angel Carballo	34-37	—	71	-1
David Duval	33-39	—	72	E
J.B. Holmes	38-35	—	73	+1

NASCAR

2012 NASCAR Sprint Cup schedule and standings

Feb. 18	—	x-Budweiser Shootout, Daytona Beach, Fla. (Kyle Busch)
Feb. 23	—	x-Gatorade Duel 1, Daytona Beach, Fla. (Tony Stewart)
Feb. 23	—	x-Gatorade Duel 2, Daytona Beach, Fla. (Matt Kenseth)
Feb. 26	—	Daytona 500, Daytona Beach, Fla. (Matt Kenseth)
March 4	—	Subway Fresh Fit 500, Avondale, Ariz. (Denny Hamlin)
Sunday	—	Kobalt Tools 400, Las Vegas
March 18	—	Food City 500, Bristol, Tenn.
March 25	—	Auto Club 400, Fontana, Calif.
April 1	—	Goody's Fast Relief 500, Ridgeway, Va.
April 14	—	Samsung Mobile 500, Fort Worth, Texas
April 22	—	STP 400, Kansas City, Kan.
April 28	—	Richmond 400, Richmond, Va.
May 6	—	Aaron's 499, Talladega, Ala.
May 12	—	Southern 500, Darlington, S.C.
May 19	—	x-Sprint Shootdown, Concord, N.C.
May 27	—	x-Sprint All-Star, Concord, N.C.
June 3	—	Coca-Cola 600, Concord, N.C.
June 3	—	Dover 400, Dover, Del.
June 10	—	Pocono 400, Long Pond, Pa.
June 17	—	Heluva Good! Sour Cream Dips 400, Brooklyn, Mich.
June 24	—	Toyota/Save Mart 350, Sonoma, Calif.
June 30	—	Quaker State 400, Sparta, Ky.
July 7	—	Coke Zero 400, Daytona Beach, Fla.
July 15	—	Lenox Industrial Tools 301, Loudon, N.H.
July 29	—	"Your Hero's Name Here" 400 at the Brickyard, Indianapolis
Aug. 5	—	Pennsylvania 400, Long Pond, Pa.
Aug. 12	—	NASCAR Sprint Cup Series at The Glen, Watkins Glen, N.Y.
Aug. 19	—	Pure Michigan 400, Brooklyn, Mich.
Aug. 25	—	Irwin Tools Night Race, Bristol, Tenn.
Sept. 2	—	AdvoCare 500, Hampton, Ga.
Sept. 8	—	Wonderful Pistachios 400, Richmond, Va.
Sept. 16	—	Geico 400, Joliet, Ill.
Sept. 23	—	Sylvania 300, Loudon, N.H.
Sept. 30	—	AAA 400, Dover, Del.
Oct. 7	—	Good Sam Club 500, Talladega, Ala.
Oct. 13	—	Bank of America 500, Concord, N.C.
Oct. 21	—	Hollywood Casino 400, Kansas City, Kan.
Oct. 28	—	Turns Fast Relief 500, Ridgeway, Va.
Nov. 4	—	AAA Texas 500, Fort Worth, Texas
Nov. 11	—	Kobalt Tools 500, Avondale, Ariz.
Nov. 18	—	Ford 400, Homestead, Fla.

Driver Standings

1. Denny Hamlin, 89.
2. Greg Biffle, 83.
3. Kevin Harvick, 81.
4. Matt Kenseth, 79.
5. Dale Earnhardt Jr., 72.
6. Martin Truex Jr., 71.
(tie) Mark Martin, 71.
8. Joey Logano, 70.
9. Kyle Busch, 66.
10. Carl Edwards, 63.
11. Bobby Labonte, 58.
12. Brad Keselowski, 52.
(tie) Jeff Burton, 52.
(tie) Paul Menard, 52.
(tie) Tony Stewart, 52.
16. Dave Blaney, 51.
17. Clint Bowyer, 47.
18. Ryan Newman, 46.
19. Regan Smith, 45.
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**BRIEFS**

**Hopkinsville baseball to reschedule games**

Hopkinsville High School's season-opening baseball game at home against Henderson County Thursday was rained out. In addition, the Tigers' game at home today against Madisonville-North Hopkins has been postponed because of the school's appearance in the Girls' Sweet 16 State Basketball Tournament tonight against Marion County. Hopkinsville athletic director Keith Kelley said the games would be rescheduled for a later date. Meanwhile, Fort Campbell High School's season-opening baseball game against Pleasant View, Tenn., was rained out. It has been rescheduled for March 20, Falcons' athletic director Ken Jankowski said.

**Western Kentucky fires women's basketball coach**

Western Kentucky University released women's basketball coach Mary Taylor Cowles, Director of Athletic Ross Bjork announced Thursday. "I informed Mary Taylor Cowles this morning that she was no longer going to serve as our women's basketball head coach," Bjork said in a news release. "We want to thank Coach Cowles for her efforts during the 10 years she served as our head coach and the 21 years she has been associated with Lady Topper basketball. We all appreciate the dedication, time and sacrifices she and her family have given to WKU, and we wish them well."

**Indianapolis Colts sign 2 after cutting Manning**

INDIANAPOLIS (AP) — The Indianapolis Colts have signed free agent offensive lineman Jake Kirkpatrick and quarterback Trevor Vittatoe to the roster. The moves come one day after the team officially released Peyton Manning. Kirkpatrick was the Rimington Trophy winner at TCU and spent training camp with Indianapolis last summer. He was an undrafted free agent. Vittatoe was in camp last summer with the Chicago Bears, but was cut before the regular season. He resurfaced with the Tampa Bay Storm in the Arena Football League. He started for four seasons at Texas-El Paso and was the school's career leader in yards passing and touchdowns.

**NCAA clarifies Boeheim's comments on report**

NEW YORK (AP) — The NCAA issued a statement clarifying the timing of Syracuse's self-reporting of possible violations of its internal drug policy. After the second-ranked Orange's 58-55 victory over Connecticut in the quarterfinals of the Big East tournament on Thursday, coach Jim Boeheim was asked how long he had been aware of the alleged failure to adhere to the drug policy and possibly playing ineligible players over the past decade, which was reported by Yahoo Sports after a three-month investigation. "This was reported 5 years ago, and we're waiting for them to finish the process," Boeheim said. When asked again about the school self-reporting the violations 5 years ago, Boeheim answered, "Uh-huh." About 3 hours later the NCAA issued a statement clarifying the time frame. "The NCAA enforcement staff received a self-report from Syracuse University on October 27, 2010," the NCAA said, reinforcing what it said when the possible violations were first made public.

**Jones, McNeill share Puerto Rico Open lead**

RIO GRANDE, Puerto Rico (AP) — Matt Jones and George McNeill topped the leaderboard at 6-under 66 in strong wind Thursday in the PGA Tour's Puerto Rico Open. "It was very windy. Just had to judge it right," Jones said.

**PREP**



**Hopkinsville sophomore guard Haley Cook (22) drives into the lane against Marshall County during the first half of their Girls' Sweet 16 State Basketball Tournament game Thursday in Bowling Green.**

**HHS: Lady Tigers tip Marshall**

FROM PAGE B1

of Haley Cook that helped the Lady Tigers (32-4) jump out to a 31-26 lead at halftime. The sophomore guard hit three 3-pointers and scored all of her 12 points in the first half. "It was just a great experience coming to state," Cook said. "We had an opportunity and took advantage of it. We kept looking for the open look and knocking those down." Cook's efforts took pressure off of Soldo and opened the floor offensively for Hopkinsville, which began the third quarter on a 9-0 run to take a 40-26 lead with 5:12 to play in the period.

"When we get a 3-pointer, that is bonus points for us because we know our strengths are post play (and) getting points off steals," Lady Tigers coach Tonya Wells said. "J'Lynn (Majors) got a big steal there for us in the beginning of the third quarter and went down and shot a layup. That's how Hoptown basketball plays."

Majors had back-to-back steals during the surge and finished with five steals on the day. The sophomore point guard also had five points and five assists.

"I was just watching the ball," Majors said. "I'm very good on my feet and I have long arms. ... I just read the passes well."

The Lady Marshals, who were led by Mariah McKenty's 15 points, hit three 3-pointers in a row and countered with a 10-0 run of their own to pull within 40-36 with 3:01 to go in the third. McKenty, who sat out with an injury during the two



**Hopkinsville sophomore guard J'Lynn Majors dribbles around the pressure of Marshall County's Tory Fehrenbacher (10) during the second half of their game Thursday in Bowling Green.**

teams' regular-season matchup, shot 4-for-8 from 3-point range.

Wells said her team never panicked during Marshall's rally.

"I told them we got to dig in and we got to play ball and that's what they did," Wells said. "You can't get all emotional when somebody makes a run. You got to stay in the game because we still had minutes to play. It's a 32-minute game whichever way you want to slice it. You have to play every second of that and they know that."

Alyssa Barnard, who had eight points, 11 rebounds and two blocks, gave the Lady Marshals a 52-51 advantage with 1:06 to play. It was Marshall's first lead since 2-0.

Soldo put the Lady Tigers back up 53-52 with 41 seconds left. The senior forward, who admittedly missed her first six free throws during Wednesday practice, then stepped to the line with 5.7 seconds to go, a 54-52 lead and an opportunity to put the game out of reach.

"I was like, 'You know what? We're going to the next round because I'm going to make these,'" she said.

Soldo rattled home the first free throw and struck nothing but net on the second to send Hopkinsville to the state tournament quarterfinals.

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**SOLDO: Senior leads Hoptown toward crown**

FROM PAGE B1

Christian County Colonels on his back to the state quarterfinals, Soldo has brought her appetite for winning to the rest of her teammates.

The result is a date with No. 2-ranked Marion County at 6:30 p.m. today in the quarterfinals.

Soldo isn't intimidated. She said after Thursday, anything can happen.

"My goal originally was to win the first game (at State)," Soldo said after scoring 24 points and grabbing seven rebounds against Marshall. "If you can get by that first game, it's anyone's game to win. Now it's (her goal) that I want to win the whole thing."

That attitude is one of the many reasons Wells relates to her 5-foot-11 star: Wells was runner-up to Miss Basketball in 1986 as a senior at Madisonville-North Hopkins. The coach said she sees herself in Soldo.

"I don't know anyone who wants to win as bad as Christy — except me," Wells said. "Everybody asks us is that my daughter. We are so much alike it's amazing. The foods we like, the things we like to do. I want her to seize this moment because I never got this opportunity as I got older. I want her to be able to enjoy this and go as far as she can. "And she is such a good kid, she never gives anybody a minute's trouble," Wells continued. "Nobody ever gave her any attention, no colleges. They're going to be thinking now, 'What was I thinking?'" Soldo's late basket Thursday gave the Lady Tigers a 53-52 lead. Leading 54-52 with 5.7 seconds left, she nailed a pair of free throws to seal Hoptown's first-ever girls' state basketball tournament win.

"At practice yesterday I was shooting free throws and I missed my first six," Soldo said. "But I was like, 'Alright, I'm getting the bad ones out of the way.' Then I get fouled and I go to the line and I was like, 'If I make these two, it's a four-point lead and basically the game is over.' I said, 'You know what, I can make these and we're going to the next round.'" Soldo said 50 percent of winning is believing you can. She now has 100-percent of "Soldo Nation," the Hoptown student section, believing a state title Saturday night is possible.

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**Members of "Soldo Nation," the Hopkinsville High School student section, cheer on the Lady Tigers and star Christy Soldo during a break in Hoptown's 56-52 win over Marshall County Thursday afternoon in Bowling Green.**

**NHL**

**Preds beat Avalanche**

NASHVILLE, Tenn. (AP) — Sergei Kostitsyn scored at 19:28 of the second period, and the Nashville Predators held off the Colorado Avalanche 4-2 Thursday night.

The Predators, coming off their first home loss in regulation since Jan. 5, improved to 18-3-2 in their last 23 home games. Pekka Rinne stopped 15 shots in his NHL-best 37th win. Mike Fisher and Brandon Yip each scored a goal

as Nashville won its sixth straight at home over Colorado. Martin Erat added an empty-netter.

Paul Stastny and Jamie McGinn each had a goal and an assist for Colorado. The Avalanche snapped a two-game winning streak after matching a season-high with seven goals in a 7-1 win Tuesday against Minnesota. Semyon Varlamov had posted shutout wins in his last two road games.

**No. 2 Marion County advances to play HHS**

BOWLING GREEN, Ky. (AP) — Kyvin Goodin-Rogers scored 15 points and pulled down 12 rebounds Thursday in Marion County's 56-49 win over Walton-Verona in the first round of the girls' state tournament.

Region 5 champion Marion County (32-4) never trailed in the second half thanks to double-figure scoring by Goodin-Rogers, Makayla Epps, the daughter of former Kentucky star Anthony Epps, with 14 points, Bre Elder with 12 and Logan Powell with 10 points.

The Lady Knights used an 11-1 run at the beginning of the fourth quarter to take their largest lead of the game.

Region 8 champion Walton-Verona (29-7) cut the lead to three with 1:26 to play but never came closer. Judy Michele scored 17 points and Sandlin Courtney chipped in 10 to pace the Bearcats.

The Lady Knights play Hopkinsville in today's quarterfinals.

■**Magoffin County 63, Ashland Blazer 59:** Jamie Castle scored 24 points and Madison Reed added 21 as Magoffin County beat Ashland Blazer 63-59 in the first round of the girls' state tournament Thursday night.

The Region 15 champion Lady Hornets (29-4) overcame 19 turnovers and an eight-point second half deficit to advance to a quarterfinal matchup today against Lincoln County.

Sydney Cullop scored 17 points and Alexis Robinson chipped in 12 for Re-

gion 16 champion Ashland Blazer (29-7). But the Kittens shot just 24 of 77 (31.2 percent) from the field in their first state tournament appearance since 1997.

Players came together before Thursday's game in honor of victims in last week's tornado outbreak — some of the most affected areas were in Magoffin County — holding Kentucky state flags in a circle as the national anthem played.

■**Lincoln County 56, Clay County 50:** Sydney Harris and Emily Fox scored 15 points apiece for Lincoln County and the Lady Patriots slipped by Clay County for a 56-50 overtime win in the first round of the girls' state tournament on Thursday night.

Region 12 champion Lincoln County (25-9) held the Lady Tigers to just two points in the extra session, snapping Clay County's 10-game winning streak that dates back to Feb. 9.

Kourtney Belcher added 11 points for the Lady Patriots, who move on to face Magoffin County in Friday's quarterfinal round.

Cheyenne Madden scored 19 points and Morgan Chestnut had 14 to lead the Region 13 champion Lady Tigers (31-6) in a game where neither team led by more than five until Lincoln County pulled away in overtime.

Lincoln County, which shot 56.1 percent (23 of 41), increased its advantage to as many as seven points in overtime.

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5	5	WTVF CBS	News 5	Inside Edition	News 5	CBSNews	News Channel 5		Boss "Oriental Trading Company" (N)	The Mentalist "Ruddy Cheeks" (N)		Blue Bloods "Reagan V. Reagan" (N)		News 5	:35 Late's Jack Hanna, Jesse Tyler Ferguson	:35 Latel. Kristin Davis, Chris O'Dowd (N)		:35 Frasier	:05 The Nate Berkus Show			5	5			
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8		WNPT PBS	WordGirl	Wild Kratts	Electric Company	Fetch!	PBS NewsHour		Washington Week on TV	Need to Know	Moyers and Company	Easy Yoga for Easing Pain		BBC World News	Summer Wine	Moyers and Company		Dr. Wayne Dyer "Wishes Fulfilled"				8	8			
9	35	WKMA PBS	Wild Kratt "Mimic"	Electric Company	BBC News America	Nightly Business	PBS NewsHour		Comment on KY	McLaughlin in Group	'60s Pop, Rock and Soul	Music legends of the 1960s reflect on their careers.		Legislative Update	BBC World News	Woodsongs "Rhonda Vincent"		Charlie Rose		Moyers and Company (N)		-	-			
13	30	WUXP MNT	2:30 NCAA Basketball	Judge Joe Brown	Judge Judy	Jeopardy!	NCAA Basketball SEC Tournament Quarter-final Site: New Orleans Arena -- New Orleans, La. (L)					NCAA Basketball SEC Tournament Quarter-final Site: New Orleans Arena -- New Orleans, La. (L)				Monk "Mr. Monk and the Earthquake"		Monk		Earl "Bad Earl"	My Name Is Earl	30	30			
18	58	WNAB CW	America's Funniest Home Videos		Big Bang Theory	Met Your Mother	Big Bang Theory	Met Your Mother	Nikita "Pale Fire"	Supernatural "Death's Door"		Everybody Loves Ray	30 Rock	Family Guy	Family Guy	Excused	Scrubs	TMZ	Paid Program	Scrubs	That '70s Show	58	58			
20	50	WPGD	5:00 Praise-A-Thon		Spring Praise-A-Thon																	-	-			
21	13	WBKO ABC	2:15 NCAA Basketball	Inside Edition	WBKO @ 5	ABC World News	WBKO @ 6	NCAA Basketball SEC Tournament Site: New Orleans Arena -- New Orleans, La. (L)		:45 NCAA Basketball SEC Tournament Quarter-final Site: New Orleans Arena -- New Orleans, La. (L)				WBKO @ 10	:35 News	:05 Jimmy Kimmel Live		:05 Inside Music Row		:35 Dog Tales		-	-			
CATV		4 PM	4:30	5 PM	5:30	6 PM	6:30	7 PM	7:30	8 PM	8:30	9 PM	9:30	10 PM	10:30	11 PM	11:30	12 AM	12:30	1 AM	1:30	S1	S2			
15	WGN	2:00 MLB Baseball Spring Training (L)		30 Rock	30 Rock	America's Funniest Home Videos		Met Your Mother	Met Your Mother	Met Your Mother	Met Your Mother	WGN News at Nine		30 Rock	Scrubs	Scrubs	Always Sunny	Always Sunny	Futurama	Futurama	South Park		239	307		
23	HGTV	Property	Property	House	House	House	House	Home Strange Home	Extreme Homes			HouseH	House (N)	House	House	Extreme Homes	HouseH	House	House	House	House		112	229		
24	FOOD	H.Cook	H.Cook	Diners	Diners	BestAtte	BestAtte	Diners	Diners	Diners	Diners	Diners	Diners	Diners	Crave	Diners	Diners	Diners	Diners	Diners	Crave		110	231		
25	TRAV	Bourdain	"Maine"	Ghost Adventures	Ghost Adventures	Ghost Adventures	Ghost Adventures	Ghost Adventures	Ghost Adventures (N)	The Dead Files	The Dead Files	Ghost Adventures	Ghost Adventures	Ghost Adventures	Ghost Adventures	Ghost Adventures	Ghost Adventures	The Dead Files	Ghost Adventures	Ghost Adventures		215	277			
26	E!	E! News	Ice Coco	Ice Coco	Ice Coco	E! News		Ice Coco	Khloe &	Khloe &	Khloe &	Fashion Police	C. Lately	E! News		C. Lately	Fashion Police	Fashion Police	Fashion Police	Fashion Police		114	236			
27	HALL	The Waltons		Little House "Love"	Little House Prairie	Little House Prairie	Little House Prairie	Little House Prairie	Little House Prairie	Frasier	Frasier	Frasier	Frasier	G. Girls	G. Girls	G. Girls	G. Girls	G. Girls	G. Girls	B.Newhart	B.Newhart	185	312			
28	LIFE	Cold Case Files		Cold Case Files	Cold Case Files	Cold Case Files	Most Wanted	Most Wanted	Most Wanted	Most Wanted	Most Wanted	Most Wanted	Most Wanted	Most Wanted	Most Wanted	Most Wanted	Most Wanted	Most Wanted	Most Wanted	Most Wanted		108	252			
29	SOAP	Brothers & Sisters		Brothers & Sisters	Brothers & Sisters	Brothers & Sisters	Young & Restless	Days of Our Lives	General Hospital	Young & Restless	Days of Our Lives	General Hospital	Young & Restless	Days of Our Lives	General Hospital	All My Children	All My Children	All My Children	All My Children	All My Children		188	262			
30	OXY	Movie	*** Transformers: Revenge of the Fallen '09, Act	Shia LaBeouf	The Ultimate Fighter	(N)	Unsuperv.	Unsuperv.	Unsuperv.	Unsuperv.	The Ultimate Fighter											136	248			
32	GOLF	12:00 Golf	Golf C.	PGA Golf	Puerto Rico Open			Golf WGC-Cadillac Championship Round 2 Site: Doral Golf Resort and Spa -- Miami, Fla.								Golf C.	G. Goose	PGA Golf	Puerto Rico Open			401	218			
34	ESPN	NBA Bask. Classics '87 Playoffs L.A. /Lbos	Boxing	:45 Boxing	Friday Night Lights	Friday Night Lights	Friday Night Lights	Friday Night Lights	Friday Night Lights	Ring of Fire		:45 Ring of Fire: The Emile Griffith Story		ESPN "The Real Rocky" Chavez								143	614			
35	ESPN	Around Horn (N)	Interrup-tion (N)	SportsCenter	NCAA Basketball Big East Tournament Site: Madison Square Garden (L)	NCAA Basketball Big East Tournament Semifinal Site: Madison Square Garden -- New York City, N.Y. (L)	SportsCenter	The day's news in the world of sports.	SportsCenter													140	206			
36	ESPN2	SportsNation		NFL 32 (L)	NCAA Basketball ACC Tournament Site: Philips Arena -- Atlanta, Ga. (L)	NCAA Basketball ACC Tournament Quarter-final Site: Philips Arena -- Atlanta, Ga. (L)	Score-board (L)	NFL Live	NBA (L)	Basketball (L)	NFL Live											144	209			
37	FSS	2:00 NCAA Basketball Staples Center -- Los Angeles, Calif. (L)	Predators	WPT Poker Legends of Poker	NCAA Basketball Pac-12 Tournament Semifinal Site: Staples Center -- Los Angeles, Calif. (L)	NCAA Basketball Pac-12 Tournament Semifinal Site: Staples Center -- Los Angeles, Calif. (L)	The PAC "UCLA"	NCAA Basketball Pac-12 Tournament														420	646			
39	SPEED	NASCAR Racing Sam's Town 300	NASCAR Racing Kobalt Tools 400	Trackside	Speed	NASCAR Racing Kobalt Tools 400	Mobil1 (N)	Trackside	NASCAR Racing Kobalt Tools 400	NASCAR Racing Sam's Town 300	Auto Race											150	607			
40	TNT	Law & Order "Flight"	Law & Order "Misbegotten"	Law & Order "I.D."	Law & Order "Panic"	*** Catch Me If You Can	Leonardo DiCaprio. A forger attempts to stay one step ahead of the lawman determined to bring him to justice.	*** Journey to the Center of the Earth '08, Adv	Josh Hutcherson, Brendan Fraser.	*** Catch Me If You Can												138	245			
41	FX	2 1/2 Men	2 1/2 Men	*** Transformers: Revenge of the Fallen '09, Act	Shia LaBeouf	The Ultimate Fighter	(N)	Unsuperv.	Unsuperv.	Unsuperv.	Unsuperv.	The Ultimate Fighter										136	248			
42	USA	NCIS "Good Cop, Bad Cop"	NCIS "Code of Conduct"	The King of Queens	The King of Queens	Seinf. "The Pitch"	Seinf. "The Ticket"	House of Payne	House of Payne	House of Payne	House of Payne	*** Anchorman: The Legend of Ron Burgundy '04, Com	Will Ferrell.	:05 *** Disaster Movie '08, Com	Kim Kardashian.	:50 *** Scary Movie 3 '03, Com	Jenny McCarthy, Anna Faris.						105	242		
43	TBS	Friends	Friends	The King of Queens	The King of Queens	Seinf. "The Pitch"	Seinf. "The Ticket"	House of Payne	House of Payne	House of Payne	House of Payne	*** Anchorman: The Legend of Ron Burgundy '04, Com	Will Ferrell.	:05 *** Disaster Movie '08, Com	Kim Kardashian.	:50 *** Scary Movie 3 '03, Com	Jenny McCarthy, Anna Faris.						139	247		
44	HMC	3:00 *** Man of the H...	Jack's Family Adventure	The Cabin '11, Com	Steven Brand.	*** Family Plan '05, Com	Tori Spelling.	Murder, She Wrote	Hannity	On the Record	The O'Reilly Factor											187	560			
45	FNC	The Five	Special Report	FOX Report	The O'Reilly Factor	Hannity	On the Record	The O'Reilly Factor														205	360			
46	CNN	3:00 The Situation	John King, USA	OutFront	A. Cooper 360	Piers Morgan	Lockup	Lockup	Lockup	Lockup	Lockup	Lockup	Lockup	Lockup	Lockup	Lockup	Lockup	Lockup	Lockup	Lockup		200	202			
49	MSNBC	Hardball	PoliticsNation	Hardball																		209	356			
55	BET	Parkers	Parkers	106 & Park "Freestyle Friday"	*** Steve Harvey: Still Trippin' (2008, Comedy)	Steve Harvey.	Wendy Williams	*** The Longshots '08, Com/Dra	Ice Cube.													124	329			
56	SYFY	3:00 *** Boa vs. Python	*** The Snake King (2005, Adventure)	Jayne Heimeyer, Larry Day, Stephen Baldwin.	WWE Smackdown! WWE superstars do battle in long-running rivalries.	Merlin "A Herald of the New Age" (N)	Being Human "I've Got You Under Your Skin"	Merlin "A Herald of the New Age"	Lost Girl "Vexed"													122	244			
57	SPIKE	3:00 *** Murder by Numbers	The Ultimate Fighter "Size Does Matter"	The Ultimate Fighter "All About Survival"	The Ultimate Fighter "The Enemy"	Heavyweights Finale	*** Army of Darkness '92, Act	Embeth Davidtz, Richard Grove, Bruce Campbell.	*** Freddy vs. Jason													168	241			
58	COM	Sunny	SouthPk	Daily Sh.	Colbert	30 Rock	30 Rock	Tosh.O	Tosh.O	SouthPk	SouthPk	SouthPk	SouthPk	Tosh.O	KeyPeele	Chappelle	Chappelle	Six Days to Air	*** South Park: Bigg...			107	249			
59	G4	Cops	Cops	Cops	X-Play	Attack of the Show!	Cops	Cops	Cops	Cops	Cops	Cops	Cops	Cops	Campus	X-Men	Wolverine	Ninja War.	Ninja War.	Ninja War.	X-Men	Attack of the Show!	191	-		
60	BRAVO	H.Wives	*** The Patriot (2000, Drama)	Heath Ledger, Joely Richardson, Mel Gibson.	*** Troy (2004, Action)	Orlando Bloom, Eric Bana, Brad Pitt.	*** Troy (2004, Action)	Orlando Bloom, Eric Bana, Brad Pitt.	*** Troy (2004, Action)	Orlando Bloom, Eric Bana, Brad Pitt.	*** Troy (2004, Action)	Orlando Bloom, Eric Bana, Brad Pitt.	*** Troy (2004, Action)	Orlando Bloom, Eric Bana, Brad Pitt.	*** Troy (2004, Action)	Orlando Bloom, Eric Bana, Brad Pitt.	*** Troy (2004, Action)	Orlando Bloom, Eric Bana, Brad Pitt.	*** Troy (2004, Action)	Orlando Bloom, Eric Bana, Brad Pitt.	*** Troy (2004, Action)	Orlando Bloom, Eric Bana, Brad Pitt.	129	237		
61	TCM	3:45 *** Wallflower	:15 *** Two Weeks With Love '50, Mus	Ricardo Montalban, Louis Calhern, Jane Powell.	*** Goodbye Again (1961, Romance)	Yves Montand, Anthony Perkins, Ingrid Bergman.	:15 *** Let's Make Love A millionaire gets wind of a cast show that is spoofing him and ends up joining the															132	256			
62	AMC	CSI: Miami "On the Hook"	CSI: Miami "Happy Birthday"	CSI: Miami "Blood Sugar"	*** Lake Placid (1999, Action)	Bridget Fonda, Oliver Platt, Bill Pullman.	Walking Dead "Judge, Jury, Executioner"	Comic Book Men "Zombies"	*** Lake Placid (1999, Action)	Bridget Fonda, Oliver Platt, Bill Pullman.	Walking Dead "Judge, Jury, Executioner"											130	254			
63	FAM	3:30 *** Nanny McPhee	*** Bedtime Stories	Adam Sandler.	*** Alice in Wonderland '10, Adv	Johnny Depp.	The 700 Club	Fresh P.	Fresh P.	Paid	Paid	Paid	Paid	Paid	Paid	Paid	Paid	Paid	Paid	Paid		180	311			
64	TVLAND	Bonanza	MASH	MASH	MASH	Home I.	Home I.	Ray	Ray	Hot In	Divorced	Ray	Queens	Queens	Queens	Queens	Queens	Queens	Queens	Queens		106	304			
65	DISN	A.N.T. Farm	Shake U.	:25 *** Rebel	Debbie Ryan.	Jessie	Jessie	Jessie	Jessie	Austin	GoodLk	Austin	Austin	Austin	Austin	Austin	Austin	Austin	Austin	Austin		172	290			
66	DISNXD	*** Victor Story '95, Ani	Tom Hanks.	Kick	Kick	Zekelut.	Zekelut.	I'm Band	Phineas	Phineas	I'm Band	Phineas	Phineas	I'm Band	Phineas	Phineas	Phineas	Phineas	Phineas	Phineas		174	292			
67	NICK	Victorious	Victorious	Sponge	Sponge	Kung Fu	Sponge	'70s	'70s	G. Lopez	G. Lopez	Friends	Friends	Friends	Friends	Friends	Friends	Friends	Friends	Friends		170	300			
68	TOON	Johnny	Regular	Level Up	Level Up	Adv.Time	NinjaGo	CloneWars	Rex	King Hill	King Hill	AmerD	AmerD	FamilyG	FamilyG	Robot	AquaT.	AquaT.	AmerD	AmerD		176	296			
69	A+E	The First 48	Storage Wars	Storage Wars	Storage Wars	Storage Wars	Storage Wars	Storage Wars	Storage Wars	Storage Wars	Storage Wars	Storage Wars	Storage Wars	Storage Wars	Storage Wars	Storage Wars	Storage Wars	Storage Wars	Storage Wars	Storage Wars		118	265			
70	HIST	Gettysburg		American Pickers "Civil War Pickings"	American Pickers "The Belly Dance"	Mudcats "Nightmare Holes"	Mudcats "Boiling Point"	Mudcats "Fall of Kings"	American Pickers "The Belly Dance"	Mudcats "Nightmare Holes"												120	269			
71	NGEO	To Catch a Smuggler	Expedition Wild (N)	Alaska State Troopers	Bering Sea Gold "A Viking Funeral"	20 Most Shocking (N)	20 Most Shocking (N)	Top 20 Most Shocking	F.Files	F.Files	World's Dumbest...	Top 20 Most Shocking	Top 20 Most Shocking	Top 20 Most Shocking	Top 20 Most Shocking	Top 20 Most Shocking	Top 20 Most Shocking	Top 20 Most Shocking	Top 20 Most Shocking	Top 20 Most Shocking		204	248			
73	DISC	To Be Announced																				182	278			
74	TRUTV	Cops	Cops	World's Dumbest...	World's Dumbest...	World's Dumbest...	World's Dumbest...	World's Dumbest...	World's Dumbest...	World's Dumbest...	World's Dumbest...	World's Dumbest...	World's Dumbest...	World's Dumbest...	World's Dumbest...	World's Dumbest...	World's Dumbest...	World's Dumbest...	World's Dumbest...	World's Dumbest...		204	248			
75	TLC	Say Yes	Say Yes	Say Yes	Say Yes	World Weddings	Say Yes	Say Yes	Say Yes	Say Yes	Say Yes	Say Yes	Say Yes	Say Yes	Say Yes	Say Yes	Say Yes	Say Yes	Say Yes	Say Yes	Say Yes		183	280		

# Missionaries are still vitally important

**DEAR REV. GRAHAM:** Our church just had a missions conference, but isn't the day of foreign missions finished? Most countries now have their own churches, and anyway almost everyone can hear the story of Jesus over radio or the Internet. Why do we still need missionaries? — C.B.

**DEAR G.R.:** Recently, someone called my attention to an address by a Christian leader from a country which has very few Christians. He had one main message: We still need missionaries to come to our nation. Remember, Jesus' command to preach the Gospel to the ends of the

earth has never been withdrawn — nor will it be until He comes again. His final words to His disciples were absolutely clear: “Go into all the world and preach the good news to all creation” (Mark 16:15). Billions of people today are lost in a maze of spiritual confusion and darkness, and they need the life-changing message of Christ. More than that, they need hope —

**MY  
ANSWER**



**BILLY  
GRAHAM**

hope for this life, and hope for the life to come. How can we remain silent?

Missionaries today carry out Christ's command in many ways, not only by preaching the Gospel but by demonstrating Christ's love and compassion to those in need (something the Internet can never replace). Jesus said we serve Him even when we give "a cup of cold water to one of these little ones" (Matthew 10:42). My son Franklin's Christian humanitarian aid ministry, Samaritan's Purse, works in over 100 countries to bring relief and assistance to people whose lives have been torn apart by disaster.

or turmoil.

Pray for your church's missionaries, and support them generously (especially during these difficult economic times). More than that, pray that God will raise up a new generation of young people who will respond to His call to bring Christ to the nations.

**SEND YOUR QUERIES** to "My Answer," c/o Billy Graham, Billy Graham Evangelistic Association, 1 Billy Graham Parkway, Charlotte, NC 28201; call 877-2-GRAHAM, or visit the website for the Billy Graham Evangelistic Association:  
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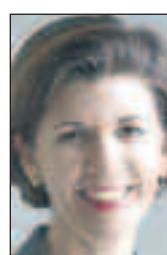
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# When to tell daughter about illness

**DEAR AMY:** Several years ago, while in my 40s, I was diagnosed with a type of chronic leukemia, CLL, during a routine blood test.

I still have no physical symptoms and only have blood tests twice a year to monitor my blood count. Emotionally I have my ups and downs, but for the most part I am doing fine.

## ASK AMY



**AMY  
DICKINSON**

Statistically I am five to seven years away from needing any treatment. There is no cure.

I am happily married  
and have two teenage chil-  
dren

My eldest child found out about the CLL right away, but my youngest has not been told

I have wanted to tell her, but my husband has discouraged me because there is nothing that can be done and I am still symptom-free

We also only have told a small circle of family and friends. Disclosing this is not easy.

Am I wrong to keep the truth from her because basically I am OK?

I am torn between the thought of this hurting her and the fact that I am keeping this huge secret when others know. — Obviously Anonymous

**DEAR OBVIOUSLY ANONYMOUS:** As a parent you should strive to demonstrate to your children that there is nothing in life that is too challenging to face.

You say you want to tell your daughter — then do it.

It's OK to admit that you are concerned, confused or simply unsure about something, but what a gift it would be to your kids if you faced this openly and were able to project an attitude of optimism about the outcome.

I'm not suggesting that you shrug this off, but really: Do you want your children to think that this is a tragedy worthy of extreme secrecy? Or do you want them to watch their mom handle a serious health challenge with equanimity?

Please choose the latter

The National Cancer Institute (cancer.gov) has helpful, factual information about CLL; the Leukemia and Lymphoma Society (lls.org) offers information and links to support. You also may call LLS to talk this over with a social worker: 800-955-4572

**DEAR AMY:** I am a sophomore in high school

My friend also is a sophomore, and she has very serious body image issues.

Last year she told me that she was anorexic and bulimic.

I urged her nearly every day to talk to her parents about this and try to get help, but I didn't want to tell them for fear that I would lose her friendship.

would lose her friendship.

For a while it looked as if she was getting better, gaining weight and having more energy. But recently she's always tired, and her clothes are getting looser.

She told me the other day that she rarely gets to bed before midnight because she is at dance almost all afternoon.

She gets up at 5 a.m. to go running because she is "fat," and she wants to lose weight because her "diet isn't working."

Amy, I don't know what to do. I'm scared for her health, but I can't force her to go get help.

I think her folks already know and aren't doing anything.  
What should I do? — Scared and Unsure

**DEAR SCARED:** Go to your school counselor right away. Eating disorders are progressive illnesses that thrive on secrecy — and you want your friend to get help before things have gone too far.

Your school counselor, nurse or psychologist knows how to help kids in distress. This adult will follow up with your friend's parents. You probably aren't the only student who has noticed that this classmate is in trouble; you are doing the right thing to notify someone who can help.

**SEND QUESTIONS** via email to askamy@tribune.com or by mail to Ask Amy, Chicago Tribune, TT500, 435 N. Michigan Ave., Chicago, IL 60611. Amy Dickinson's memoir, *"The Mighty Queens of Freeville: A Mother, a Daughter and the Town that Raised Them"* (Hyperion), is available in bookstores.)

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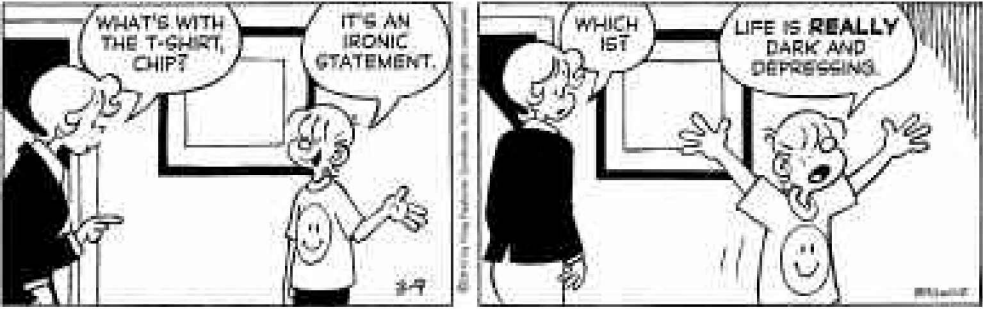
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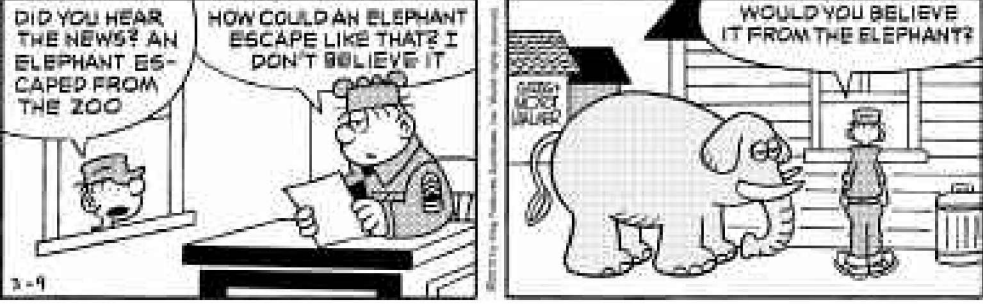
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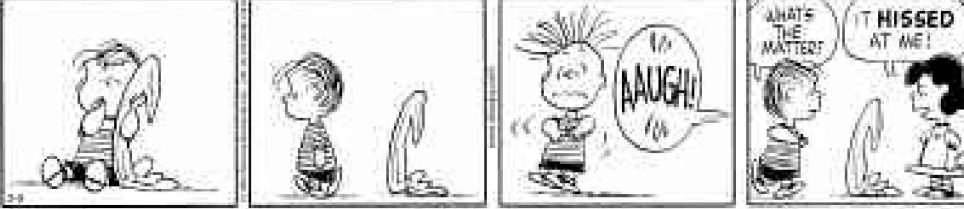
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Yesterday's Cryptoquote: NATURE COMPOSES SOME OF HER LOVELIEST POEMS FOR THE MICROSCOPE AND THE TELESCOPE.

— THEODORE ROSZAK

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**Sudoku Puzzle**

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**Sudoku Answer**

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**By THOMAS JOSEPH**

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  - 16 Got together
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- 30 "77 Sunset Strip" character
- 31 Detects
- 33 Brewskis
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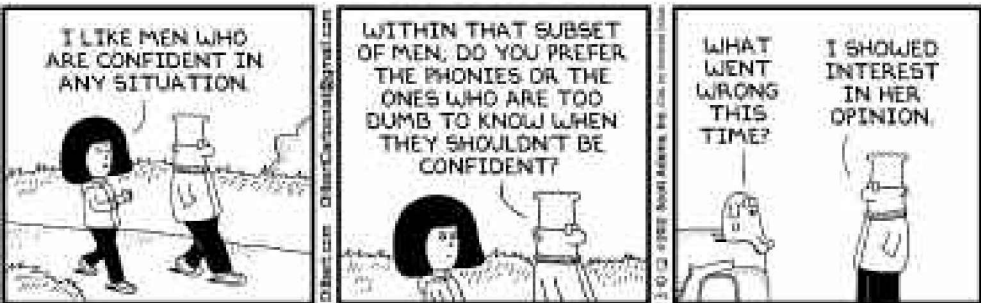
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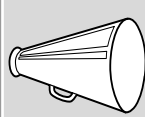
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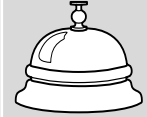
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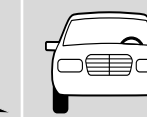
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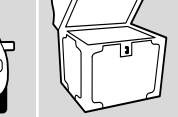
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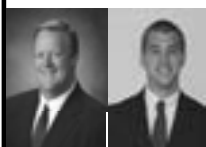
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# This Week's Deed Transfers & Building Permits

The following property transfers are listed as given on deeds, January 23rd-January 27th at the Christian County Clerk's Office in Hopkinsville, KY.

- Heritage Bank to Jimmy and Louise Sanderson, 603 Sanderson Dr., \$45,000.
- Isaac Franklin Chambers to Mark Allen and Mary Rae Chambers, Hunter's Ridge Subdivision, Lot: 23, Section 6.
- Lawrence Robert Brewster, Jr., Executor, and Minnie Florence Dyer Brewster, Estate, to Lawrence Robert Brewster, Jr. and Rufus Monroe Dyer, 12.5 Acres U.S. Highway 41-A.
- Five Star, Limited Partnership, and Fivestar, Limited Partnership, to Aaron Properties, LLC, 1127 W. 7th St., \$135,000.
- Lester Farms, Inc., and Bill G. and Marjorie N. Lester to Bill G. and Marjorie N. Lester, 8.54 Acres Highway 3186 (Old Highway 68), \$12,832.
- David's Mobile Homes, LLC, to Zachary Jaenisch, 307 Atlantic Ave., OG, \$57,500.
- Linda B. Thomas to Linda B. Thomas, Anita F. Austin and Kenneth W. Thomas,

- Woodmont Subdivision, Lot: 13, Section 1, 20.04 Acres Christian County.
- Michael Chad and Kimberly Dawn Sivills to MVC Rentals, LLC, 2606 S. Virginia St., \$116,000.
- Leslie Lee Penick to Matthew D. Jenkins, 5.4 Acres Butler Road, \$14,957.
- Walter Z. Ikner to Angela M. Ikner, Affidavit of Descent and Inheritance.
- Angela M. Ikner to Angela M. Ikner, Kentucky Ridge Subdivision, Lot: 38, Section 1.
- Branch Banking and Trust Company to Moon River Properties, LLC, 3710 Bahama Dr., \$56,000.
- D.E.W. Distributing Company, Inc., to Tony and Jackie Jones, Release of Vendors Lien Deed.
- Michael and Kerry Vance to Michael C. and Kimberly D. Sivills, 101 Tonya Way, \$179,900.
- John Wayne and Teresa Wright to Mickey Dale Wright, Release of Vendors Lien Deed.
- Gay Foster Boren and Joy Foster Poe to Gay Foster Boren and Joy Foster Poe, (Greenville Road), 27.866 acres Kentucky Highway 107 (Greenville Road).

- Gay Foster Boren and Joy Foster Poe to Darren Grace, 3.309 Acres Foster Lane.
- Scott R. and Mary Jane Ezell to Thomas L. Elkins, 430 Linda Dr., \$95,000.
- Mary Z. Wood to Michael W. Wood, 2 Acres Kentucky Highway 107 (Lafayette Road).
- Central Mortgage Company to Douglas A. and Virginia L. Myers, 824-830 Decoy Ct., OG, \$103,500.
- Richard L. Cundiff, Sr., to Ronald Fox, Pyle Subdivision, Lot: 2.
- Sara Frances Lawson, Richard D. Lawson and Sarah Frances Cundiff to Ronald Fox, Pyle Subdivision, Lot: 2.
- Patrick and Teekesha Akers to Courtney Louise McCarthy, 820 Washington Ave., OG, \$84,000.
- Anna Defoe, James Defoe, Edward S. Clark, Sherry Clark and Robert Clark to Mark and Jennifer Defoe, 152 Alumni Ave., \$70,000.
- Barbara Jean and Charles E. Moore to J. Lynn Jackson, 809 Oak Hurst Dr., \$120,000.
- Luke A. and Danielle N. Dye to Helen Gernon and Dennis Stimple, 107 Sherwood Dr., \$84,000.

- Adcorp, Inc., to Woodlot Farms, LLC, 20 Acres East Concord Lane, \$100,550.
- Bruce A. and Elizabeth S. Lancaster to David T. Lancaster, .803 Acres Vaughns Grove-Little River Road.
- Robert E. III and Judith A. Durrett to Divine Creations Ministries, 2 Acres Pembroke/Oak Grove Road (KY 115), \$100,000.
- Allen and Dana White to Lindsey Caldwell, 3.9 Acres US-68 and KY-1349, \$36,000.
- Ernest Bryan Hancock, Co-Exec., W. Keith Ament, Co-Exec., Cecil Ernest Hancock, Estate, Bessie H. Vass, and Ernest Bryant Hancock to Steven Bryant Ward and Steven Bryant Ward, Release of Vendors Lien Deed.
- Lee Raymond Young to Mary E. Young, Mary Michelle Young, Geraldine Williams, Donna Peterson and Tina N. Young, Affidavit of Descent.
- Robert E. Young to Marilyn K. Wilkins, Affidavit of Descent.
- Linda B. Thomas to Kenneth Wayne Thomas, Deed of Correction.
- Melissa Ruth and Marty A. Jones to Jason Hale and Tommy McGraw, 403 Hershey Dr., \$24,804.

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## Help Wanted

### Hopkinsville Kidz Academy

Looking for qualified teachers. Apply in person at 1027 Pyle Lane, Hopkinsville.

### Hopkinsville LPN Postions

IMMEDIATE LPN POSITIONS AVAILABLE. Please apply in person Wednesday-Friday, 9-11 and 1-4 at 1001A Skyline Dr. Hopkinsville, KY 42240. 270-890-0525.

### Hopkinsville Maintenance Technician

PTC Alliance, a steel tubing manufacturer, is looking for a Maintenance Technician. Ideal candidate must be an organized self-starter with above average problem solving ability. A strong electrical/PLC background is preferred. Must have a high school diploma, or equivalent, and be able to work any shift. Must have 2-3 yrs experience in plant maintenance. Send resume to 500 Frank Yost Ln, Hopkinsville, KY 42240

### Hopkinsville Maintenance Mechanic

The Housing Authority of Hopkinsville is accepting applications for a Maintenance Mechanic position. Previous work experience is preferred. A high school diploma or its equivalent is required. Applicant must also have a valid driver's license, be self-motivated and able to work with little supervision. Excellent benefit package available. Applicants will be required to submit to a physical, drug/alcohol screening test and background check. Please mail resume to P O Box 437, Hopkinsville, KY 42241-0437 or come by the Housing Authority at 400 North Elm Street, Hopkinsville to complete an application. EOE

### Hopkinsville McGee Pest Control Inc.

Is now taking applications for service technicians. Individual must be able to crawl in confined spaces. Send us your resume to PO Box 674, Hopkinsville, KY 42241 or come by our office at 1826 Walnut St. to fill out an application. Valid Drivers license required! No phone calls please!

### Hopkinsville Office Manager

For small real estate rental business. Microsoft Office, computer skills, must be able to work with public. 30/hrs. Per week. Send resumes to PO Box 1014 Hopkinsville, Ky 42241.

### Hopkinsville Retail Clerk

5 Days a week. Must work Saturday. Apply in person at Hampton Meats. No Phone Calls

### Hopkinsville YMCA

Hiring for Administrative Assistant, Summer Camp Director, Camp Counselors, Lifeguards, Swim Instructors, and Concessions. Go to www.hopkinsvilyymca.org, click on Employment to apply.

### Hopkinsville Immediate Openings

Require TABE scores 10 plus. Must be able to pass Drug Screen and Criminal Background Check. Bring 2 forms of ID. Apply at 111 Susan Ave, Hopkinsville. Applications accepted Monday-Friday 9a-3p.

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## Help Wanted

### Hopkinsville Route Sales

As a well-established wholesale bakery, we are growing and looking for aggressive, self-starters for Route Sales delivery positions. The chosen employee will be responsible for early morning delivery of our bakery products on a timely basis to grocery stores, restaurants, schools, etc. Required functions: Work with bread trays and baskets including lifting and carrying up to 50 lbs, pushing/pulling of racks, bending, squatting at long intervals; Requires dependable attendance: Drive 10,001+ lb trucks (manual transmission). Must be able to obtain DOT Medical Card: Order, stock and rotate product: Provide exceptional customer service: Maintain clean professional appearance. Applicants must possess a high school diploma or GED, a valid driver's license, good driving record and must pass a pre-employment driving test, background check and drug/alcohol test. Prior route sales experience preferred but not required. If interested apply online at www.BimboBakeriesUSA.com, then go to the Depot located at 816 East 21st St on Friday March 9th from 8 A.M. to 1:00 P.M. No phone calls please. Bimbo Bakeries, USA is an Equal Employment Opportunity Employer.

### Hopkinsville The City Of Hopkinsville

**STREET MAINTENANCE WORKER (FULL TIME)** \$23,563-\$28,475. Requires a high degree of skill in operation of light and heavy-duty mechanized construction equipment. Preferred experience in construction and/or experience in pouring and finishing of concrete curbs and sidewalks and various masonry and carpentry work. Commercial Drivers License preferred but must obtain within probationary period for this full time position. Must be able to speak English. Salary based on related skills and experience. **SEASONAL GROUNDSKEEPER/ STREET MAINTENANCE WORKERS** \$11.32/hour. Requires abilities in the operation of mowers, weedeaters, hand tools and other equipment used in grounds maintenance. Involves manual labor in maintaining the city's Parks and Cemeteries while also providing street maintenance support. Also requires sufficient strength to perform strenuous physical outside labor for extended periods even during adverse weather conditions. Must possess a valid driver's license and be able to speak English. Position is seasonal from April-September. Applications are available at the Breathitt Career Center, 110 Riverfront Drive, the Lackey Municipal Building, 101 N. Main St. or online at www.hopkinsvilleky.us All applications must be received no later than 4 p.m. March 16, 2012. The City of Hopkinsville is an EOE

### Hopkinsville Convalescent/ Elderly Care

**I Will Be A Caregiver**  
Day or night. Years of experience. References. 270-885-3920/348-6347

### Cleaning Services

**Homes And Offices**  
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Additions. Sheds. Carports. Painting. Roofing. Remodeling. Repair Work All Types. (270) 305-1539 or (270)889-4526.

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**FRIDAY, MARCH 9, 2012 HAPPY BIRTHDAY!** This year you see life from a more caring perspective. You develop more empathy for people and gain understanding. Sometimes you could be jolted by your insights. Use care with your finances. Do not take risks where you cannot take the loss. If you are single, your circle of friends might change, and you could meet someone quite intense. When relating to this person, you will review many of your life assumptions. If you are attached, there could be financial struggles. Reduce the quarreling. Consider getting separate bank accounts. Share a change in your perspectives about life, money or love. LIBRA is indulgent. A baby born today has a Sun in Pisces and a Moon in Libra.

**The Stars Show the Kind of Day You'll Have: 5-Dynamic; 4-Positive; 3-Average; 2-So-so; 1-Difficult**

**ARIES (March 21-April 19) ★★★** You could attempt to be diplomatic, only to find that your fuse is way too short to do so. Pressure builds when dealing with others who have very different ideas. Adjust your plans. Tonight: Work on being diplomatic, for everyone's sake.

**TAURUS (April 20-May 20) ★★★★★** You are even and careful. You could be far more nervous than you realize, as you attempt to juggle different interests. Honor and internalize information that puts a new slant on a situation. Tonight: Your treat.

**GEMINI (May 21-June 20) ★★★★★** Good intentions might not carry you as far as you might like, but clear, analytic thinking will. A partnership soars into the limelight. You wonder what is possible as a team. Why not find out? Tonight: Wave in the weekend.

**CANCER (June 21-July 22) ★★★** Deal directly with a child or loved one who keeps tossing the status quo out the window. Detach more, and get past your emotional response. You need to let this person see the results of his or her actions. Tonight: Not to be found.

**LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) ★★★★★** Zero in on what you want. You could be overwhelmed by all the calls and unexpected requests that seem to come your way. Just know that you need to focus or update your plans. You simply cannot be everywhere at once. Tonight: Join friends and/or loved ones for a TGIF celebration.

**VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) ★★★★★** Be aware of the cost of an expenditure. You could be overwhelmed by your options, but if you keep looking at all the choices, you might lose the moment. Sometimes you cannot go through every detail and check out each idea, no matter how wise it may seem. Tonight: Use care with any type of risk.

**LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22) ★★★★★** You can handle whatever comes down the pike far better than many other people. Your sense of humor and general sense of well-being come into play. Think positively about a choice you have to make, even if you only can get wild feedback. Tonight: Trust your desirability.

**SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21) ★★★★★** You could be a little out of kilter if you try to do something that really is out of your league. Right now, the best and only choice is to step back and think more about your options. Others do not seem to be able to communicate what is on their minds. Tonight: Take some much-needed personal time.

**SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21) ★★★★★** Focus on groups and meetings. You could be pulled in by a situation; however, after some thought, you will regret the connection. If you can, buy yourself some time rather than have to back out later. Financial matters are subject to dramatic changes. Tonight: Say "yes."

**CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) ★★★★★** Your mood is changeable and so are you. Why wonder which way to go? Simply flow with the moment. Understanding becomes possible if you let go of a need to control and structure every single second. Tonight: Invite others to join you.

**AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18) ★★★★★** You are more than ready for the weekend but frequently are distracted from what you need to do in the here and now. Consider taking the afternoon off, if you can — you will be a lot happier. A new friend could prove to be unpredictable. Tonight: Paint the town red.

**PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20) ★★★★★** You might want to rethink a decision, even if you thought it was a good one. Someone around you could be explosive and quite different from how he or she usually is. This person might need space from you at the moment. Don't fight it, for now. Tonight: Head home.

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GOLF

Adam Scott hits from the 11th tee during the first round of the Cadillac Championship golf tournament Thursday in Doral, Fla.

# Scott, Dufner lead at Doral

DORAL, Fla. (AP) — Playing only his sixth round of the year, Adam Scott faced a strong test Thursday at Doral and never looked better.

In fierce and relentless wind on the TPC Blue Monster at Doral, Scott kept the ball in play and then hung on for dear life for a 6-under 66 that gave him a share of the lead with Jason Dufner in the Cadillac Championship.

"When you're in the fairway on a day like today, you get a chance to hit it somewhere near the hole, give yourself an opportunity," Scott said. "If you're in the rough, it's very hard

to even just hit the green, let alone give yourself a chance. I took advantage of the good shots early on, and then battled by way in from there."

It was a battle all day for Rory McIlroy in his first event at No. 1 in the world. He twice flirted with the water, had a three-putt bogey and wound up with a 73.

Tiger Woods wasn't much better. He began his round with a tap-in eagle on the par-5 first hole, but narrowly missed the fairways and had a tough time figuring out the wind and whether the ball would jump out of the

rough. Woods badly misjudged the line of his chip on the 18th hole and closed with a bogey for a 72.

It wasn't a devastating start for either of them.

Only a dozen players managed to break 70, and a dozen more broke par. The average score was 72.7, and no hole was more terrifying than the par-4 18th, which was 471 yards dead into the wind, water hugging the entire left side of the hole and front of the green.

The average score was 4.74, which was more than three of the par 5s.

Schwartzel and Thomas Bjorn were at 68.

NFL

# Manning lands in Miami, final destination unknown

MIAMI (AP) — Touchdown, Peyton Manning.

The former Indianapolis Colts quarterback landed late Wednesday afternoon in South Florida, drawing the attention of local TV news helicopters and NFL fans everywhere.

His private plane arrived at a small airport 30 minutes from the Miami Dolphins' complex, but he then rode off in a different direction with the news media in pursuit. When his van reached Miami Beach, it pulled over in a church parking lot, and Manning emerged to tell reporters South Florida might not be his final destination.

Manning has a condo here and has been working out with former Colts teammate Reggie Wayne, who lives in South Florida. Manning's not necessarily Dolphins-bound, he said.

"I have no idea who wants me, what team wants me, how this process works," Manning said. "I don't know if it's like college recruiting where you go take visits. I mean, this is all so new to me."

One TV station broadcast the interview live, even staying with the audio feed when the video turned shaky.

Manning landed in South Florida just four hours after he bid the Colts goodbye at a news conference in Indianapolis. They cut the injured quarterback rather than pay a \$28 million bonus due this week.

The Dolphins are one of several teams expected to court Manning, but a person familiar with their plans said Manning wasn't in town to meet with the team. The person spoke to The Associated Press on condition of anonymity because the Dolphins hadn't commented on Manning.

Other teams considered potential suit-

Peyton Manning was released by the Indianapolis Colts on Wednesday.

ors for Manning include the Cardinals, Broncos, Chiefs, Jets, Seahawks, Titans and Redskins.

"I literally have not had one conversation with anyone about these teams," Manning said. "It has been so hard for me trying to figure out some closure with my situation with the Colts. ...

"I haven't thought about teams and I don't know who is interested, I really don't. This is all new to me. But look, the Miami Dolphins have a great organization, a great history there, they have new people in place. And so you have no idea what teams are interested."